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BIRTHS.

BANKS—May 18, 1932, at Astoria Nursing Home, Colwyn Bay, to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Banks, a daughter.

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O'REILLY—May 17, 1932, at Marlona, Upper Mount street, to Mr. and Mrs. O'Reilly, 76 Grosvenor road, Dublin, a daughter.

SHEIL—May 18, 1932, at 20 Charles street, London, W.1, to Dorrie, wife of Captain W. A. Sheil, R.H.A., a son.

DEATHS.

COEN—May 23, 1932, at her residence, Bridge street, Gort, County Galway, Anne Coen, relict of the late Martin Coen. Funeral to Kilmacduagh Cemetery to-day (Wednesday).

CRAVEN—May 23, 1932, William Edward, of 11 Prospect square, Glasnevin, son of the late Edward and Martha Craven, of this city, member of *Independent* Newspapers and D.T.P.S. Deeply regretted. "Thy will be done." Funeral from Adelaide Hospital at 10.30 to-morrow (Thursday) morning to St. George's Burial Ground, Whitworth road.

DAWSON—May 23, 1932, of pneumonia, after a brief illness, at his residence, 3 Highfield road, Rathgar, Michael, dearly-beloved husband of Kathleen Dawson, and third son of the late Charles Dawson, R.I.P. Funeral, after 9 a.m. Mass, to-day (Wednesday) from the Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar. No flowers.

FitzHARRIS—May 23, 1932, at her residence, Silva Vista, Blackrock, County Dublin, Anna, widow of Nicholas FitzHarris. R.I.P. Funeral strictly private.

GREGORY—May 22, 1932, at Coole Park, Augusta, youngest daughter of the late Dudley Persse, of Roxborough, County Galway, and widow of the Right Hon. Sir William Gregory, K.C.M.G., of Coole Park, County Galway, aged 80. Funeral at Duhermore Cemetery at 1 p.m. to-day (Wednesday).

KAVANAGH—May 7, 1932, at the Union Memorial Hospital, Maryland, Eugene Rupert, Resident Vice-President and General Manager of the Maryland Casualty Company in New York City, late Barrister-at-Law, King's Inns, Ireland, son of Morgan Butler Kavanagh, of Boris, and Katharine Shine Kavanagh, husband of Mabel Ewen Kavanagh.

LYONS—May 23, 1932, at her daughter's residence, Walterstown, Kilcullen, Elizabeth (Bessie), widow of Allan R. Lyons, Hartwell House, Kill. "In Thy presence is fulness of joy." Funeral to Maudlins at 3 p.m. to-day (Wednesday).

McCARTHY—May 24, 1932, at his residence, 190 Clontarf road, Dublin, after a long illness, William McCarthy, P.C., dearly-loved husband of Margaret McCarthy. Funeral at 10.15 to-morrow (Thursday) morning, arriving at Mount Jerome at 11 o'clock. No flowers.

MacLAUGHLIN—May 23, 1932, at Ballinamona, County Limerick, Maria Barton (Minnie), daughter of late Rev. Alexander MacLaughlin, of Doone, County Limerick. Funeral private. No flowers.

PERCEVAL-MAXWELL—May 24, 1932, suddenly, of heart failure, Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Hon. Robert David Perceval-Maxwell, Finnebrogue, Downpatrick. Funeral, Inch Cemetery, Saturday, 28th May, at 11 a.m.

REEVES—May 24, 1932, at the residence of Mrs. Oliphert, Enagh Lodge, Londonderry, Juliet Eliza Reeves, formerly of Dublin. Funeral private.

STRONG—May 24, 1932, at her residence, Eighter House, Virginia, County Cavan, Mary Jane, widow of the late William Strong. "Safe in the arms of Jesus." Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) to family burial place, Munterconnaught, at 3 o'clock (summer time). Australian and Canadian papers please copy.

WATSON—May 24, 1932, at Fernside, Greystones, William C., third son of the late George Watson, of Rockport, Greystones. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) at 3 o'clock to Redford Cemetery. No flowers or mourning, by request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 6.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. George and **Caleb O'Donnell**, also **Mr.** and **Mrs. W. H. Paine** and family, 21 Kenilworth Park, Rathgar, desire to express their sincere thanks to the many kind friends who expressed sympathy in their sad bereavement by letters and floral tributes, and trust they will accept this as a grateful acknowledgment.

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"A CHRISTIAN, HUMANE AND HONEST" MEASURE.

MINISTER RESENTS HOSTILE CRITICISM.

CHALLENGE TO MR. COSGRAVE AND MR. McGILLIGAN.

MR. MacENTEE, the Minister for Finance, occupied a good deal of yesterday's sitting of the Dail in replying to the criticisms which had been levelled against his Budget by the Opposition during last week's debates.

He was especially severe on Mr. Cosgrave and Mr. McGilligan, both of whom he challenged to repeat outside statements that they had made in the House, in order to give him an opportunity of bringing them into court.

Mr. McGilligan was not in the House during the Minister's speech, and Mr. Cosgrave, who remained for a time, during which he interrupted him to make denials of some of his points, left before the Minister had concluded.

Mr. MacEntee defended the taxation in his Budget, taxation which, he said, the Opposition would have been obliged to impose if they had been the Government.

The general financial resolution was carried on a division by 71 votes to 59.

The House also discussed the tariffs on maize meal, imported furniture and cocoa preparations.

MINNOWS DABS AND SMALLER FRY.

THE MINISTER FOR FINANCE (Mr. MacEntee) resumed his speech concluding the debate on the general financial resolution on the Budget.

The MINISTER said that in the debate last week Deputy McGilligan, like Deputy Cosgrave, had made one of the vilest speeches that the Dail had ever listened to. By innuendo and by imputation he had assailed the personal honour——

Mr. COSGRAVE—That statement is untrue.

The MINISTER—I will not accept Deputy Cosgrave's withdrawal.

Mr. COSGRAVE—I am not making any withdrawal; I am making a statement of fact.

The MINISTER—The deputy had his innings last week, and he should have the grace to keep silence now.

Proceeding, the MINISTER said that Deputy McGilligan should not blame him if he classed him with the smaller fry—among the minnows of the party, in which every dab deemed himself a dolphin—since the deputy a few weeks ago likened himself to a sprat—a poor sort of fish. In three days' debate on the Budget there had not been one useful or one constructive idea from the Opposition. They obstructed and they distorted; they disported themselves on the thin ice of misrepresentation. After a preliminary canter of half an hour on Wednesday, Deputy McGilligan spent the better part of Friday running round the Budget like a white mouse in a cage, but he never once got to the centre of the argument. The Deputy never once knit the issue upon the central vital fact—what sort of a Budget the Cumann na nGaedheal Government would have produced in the same circumstances.

THE THREE SIXPENCES.

Like every other speech from the Opposition, Deputy McGilligan exhibited the same callous outlook, the same utter disregard of the interests of the unemployed. Could anything better exemplify the Opposition outlook than Deputy McGilligan's adoration of three sixpences being put on the income tax? He was panegyrical about the three sixpences, but he was dumb as a deadhead about the four sixpences that a Cumann na nGaedheal Government, if it had been put into power at the last election, would have taken off the old age pensions. Deputy McGilligan twitted them about the economies they were proposing, but he was silent about the economies which had been undertaken by the Government of which Deputy Cosgrave would have been head and Deputy Blythe Minister for Finance, but of which Deputy McGilligan would not have been Minister for Industry and Commerce, because of the mess he had made of the Shannon scheme.

The Opposition were just as strictly pledged to economise as Fianna Fail. When the Supplementary Budget was introduced last autumn Deputy Blythe promised that certain economies would be made to avoid a deficit at the end of the financial year. Cumann na nGaedheal had ample time to make economies. They had ten years to think over them and familiarity with the administrative machine, as compared with the two short months that Fianna Fail had been in office.

KEEPING THE MACHINE GOING.

Why did not Deputy Cosgrave and Deputy Blythe make their economies before they went to the country? Let the House and the country have the answer to that. The answer was that those economies were of a nature that could only be made after a general election had returned them securely to office for another four years. Cumann na nGaedheal dared not face the country on the economies they had in mind. They were afraid to submit them to the judgment of the people, because the people were not so cold or so callous as they would have been with regard to the hungry and suffering. They would have had small welcome from Deputy Cosgrave and his Government if the latter had the courage to carry out the economies contemplated when Deputy Blythe made his speech last autumn. It would have been better at least to have had the courage, because if they had been defeated some people might have respect for them. The hypocrisy of the Cumann na nGaedheal Party disqualified them from attacking the Budget, because the economies adumbrated were insufficient.

He (the Minister) was not denying that they were insufficient, but, unlike the late Government, they were not budgeting for more than they could hope to achieve in the coming twelve months. When they said they could make two million pounds economies they meant what they said. But they had to take over the machine from the late Government, and run it on the basis of the estimates for services prepared by the late Government. They had to find the means to keep that machine going, or else shut down the government of the country altogether. Inside the life of this Dail, before they went to the country again, they would show the people that economies could have been made—not economies by way of reductions of salaries or allowances of any officer, but economies by a complete reorganisation of the services. Those economies would justify the pledges they gave to the people before the general election.

INCOMPETENT CRITICS.

Just as hypocrisy kept the members of the late Government silent as regards economies, so had their incompetence to criticise the Budget left the members of the Opposition devoid of material, and because of that they had the most scandalous and shameful innuendoes and suggestions, attacking the personal honour of every member of the Government. When Deputy Cosgrave was head of the late Government he posed as the pillar of discretion and responsibility. If any member of the Fianna Fail Opposition, as it then was, had ventured to make the vile suggestions that Deputy Cosgrave made in his speech ——

Mr. COSGRAVE—That statement is untrue. Read what I said.

The MINISTER went on to say that they could imagine the unctuous Deputy Cosgrave rending his garments and declaiming in horror about the damage being done to the credit of the State by the personal honour of the Government being assailed. There never was an attempt so despicable, so malevolent, or so deliberately or intensely malicious as that made by Deputy Cosgrave; there never was an attempt so cowardly. Not merely did Deputy Cosgrave shelter himself behind the privileges of the House, but he referred to some imaginary people outside in an endeavour to disclaim responsibility for charges which no man's mouth but his was suited to utter.

I say those charges are shameful and baseless, said the Minister, and I challenge Deputy Cosgrave to divest himself of his privileged position as a member of the Dail and to repeat on a public platform or in the public Press what he said here. I challenge him to make these charges against me personally outside the House, because I am the person whose honour has been impugned by the deputy. I will stake that honour, and I will stake my own property against the honour of Deputy Cosgrave and Deputy Cosgrave's wealth, because Deputy Cosgrave is a wealthy deputy, and has often boasted of that fact in this House.

Mr. COSGRAVE—I am afraid that is not true either.

The MINISTER—And a Dublin jury of twelve men will give a verdict in my favour against him. That applies equally to Deputy McGilligan.

Proceeding, the Minister referred to the statement of Mr. McGilligan in his speech last Friday, when he said: "Are there any Ministers, any members, attached to the Government who carry on a profession and use Government offices for their private work? If so, will civil servants be allowed to engage in other work or professional occupation and to use their offices, and even their staffs, in the same way?" Deputy McGilligan had taken refuge in flight. If he were there he (the Minister) would challenge him to say who was the member of the Government who used the Government offices and the Government staffs to do his own private work. Since they had come into office every ministerial post was a full-time post, occupying not merely eight hours a day, but often sixteen hours a day.

Personally, on account of the manner in which he had been called into office, he had not been able to divest himself of certain professional responsibilities to his clients, and he was carrying on his office to wind up those undertakings, and the only interest he had now in it was to provide the weekly cheque to pay the wages of his staff. Their posts were as much full-time posts as those of the Ministers of the late Government when the Minister for Agriculture continued to be a member of the firm of Shields and Hogan; Deputy Duggan a member of Duggan and O'Reilly; when Deputy McGilligan, pretending to have the responsibility of two departments, had himself called to the Bar, and Deputy Fionan Lynch, who did the same. And so would have acted every other member of the Cabinet if they had any other business than that of politics to attend to.

REASON FOR THE ATTACKS.

The personal attacks on the Government had been made because the Opposition to the Budget had no case. Because of his shameful neglect of Irish industrialists whilst he was Minister for Industry and Commerce, Deputy McGilligan was going to seat himself down at ease in a chair prepared for him as a sclatium by an English industrialist who had provided £20,000 to give him a pension for the rest of his life. They who knew Deputy McGilligan realised that the English industrialist had a sardonic humour when he decided to christen that chair the Chair of International Peace. Despite the Opposition attacks, the Budget stood to-day as an advance in the economic reconquest of Ireland for the Irish. Mr. McGilligan might jibe and jeer in the *rôle* of King's Jester, and Deputy Cosgrave might play the low comedian; but there was hunger, want and desperation amongst the people; there were children whose only provider was the garbage tin of the rich. How long would that position have continued to endure under Mr. Cosgrave's Government; how long would it have endured under any Government that would be so neglectful and regardless as the Opposition had been of the real needs of the country?

The Minister then quoted a statement made by a clergyman who, he said, had not driven through the country for the last four years in a tin box—"Unless the unemployment menace is stemmed, I believe that within four years the ordered state of the community will be upset, and that social and economic revolution is inevitable. That is not only my own belief. I think it is well founded. The national economic policy which has been declared in this Budget is a genuine effort made by one country to rid itself of the terrible danger hanging over it in common with many other countries."

JUSTIFYING THE BUDGET.

That, declared Mr. MacEntee, is the justification for our Budget. In the circumstances in which this Budget was prepared, these are the facts to which we had regard. In the same circumstances what would the Opposition have done? If we can judge them by their past, we can answer that question. They would have shut their eyes to the plight of the people; they would have disregarded everything that unpleasantly reminded them of the unemployment menace; they would have continued the merry social round, posturing as leaders of fashion, as patrons of sport, converting themselves into the new aristocracy, with all its faults and none of its graces, and in the midst of this, born out of the desperation of the people, if the menace of revolution appeared they would have been quite content in the name of established order to crush it ruthlessly with their army under the authority of the special legislation which, taking time by the forelock, they put in the Statute Book last year.

Mr. McGilligan had described the Budget as a hair-shirt Budget.

"I am quite sure," said Mr. MacEntee, "that hair shirts have no appeal to the deputy, who as a member of the last Government, in connection with his journeys which he took upon Government business to London, refused to accept the same sustenance allowance as his own colleagues in the Cabinet did. When he was in the Government Deputy McGilligan's lot was cast in pleasant places. The luxury of the Ritz, the opulence of London, the riots and masquerades of Geneva, have made the deputy's skin so tender, that he shudders at the thought of a hair shirt. Which is the greater safeguard against revolution? Which is of the greater service to the people in the present crisis? The hair-shirt Budget or Deputy McGilligan's night club diplomacy?"

CARDS ON THE TABLE.

Last year Deputy Cosgrave told us that social order was being threatened. This year the warning is repeated, but not by politicians, but by priests and social workers who see the unendurable misery of the people. Mr. McGilligan jeered at the relief for the unemployed in the Budget. The Budget would stand as a humane Budget and as an honest Budget. The people now knew what they were paying, and what they were paying for. They knew what was being raised by taxation, and what was being raised by borrowing. They could see what the normal Budget was, and how special provision was being made to meet the abnormal depression.

The late Government, he said, had used every artifice that a dishonest book-keeper would use to disguise the true position. The present Government had come before the people and showed them the honest balance sheet. They were asking the people to make a sacrifice in order to avert the crisis, and to ensure that Christian principles will still prevail in this land. It was a soundly constructed Budget. The burdens had been fairly adjusted. No serious effort had been made to attack the Budget in detail.

THE INCOME TAX.

COMPARISON WITH ENGLAND.

Deputy McGilligan, in his criticism, had said that an increase in the income tax should be accompanied by a revision of the reliefs and allowances. That revision had been made before Mr. McGilligan thought of them. The single person, with unearned income of £250, now paid less than he would if he were living in Great Britain, with 5s. income tax. Married couples having an income of £300, even at the 5s. rate of tax, would be paying less than they were paying in the last Budget, when the 3s. 6d. rate operated. As compared with the position in Great Britain, married couples with no children, with income of £350, would be paying just slightly over half of what they would be paying in Great Britain, with 5s. income tax. It had been stated that some people were thinking of leaving the Saorstat because of the increase of income tax. Before they go, said Mr. MacEntee, let them study the income tax here very carefully. Because they will find that if they are having the Free State for England or Northern Ireland it will be a case of jumping from the frying pan into a very much hotter fire. It was only when income went above £600 or £700 that there was any difference between the two countries. In the Free State people with £600 would pay £58 15s. 0d., and in Great Britain they would pay £60 12s. 6d. Conditions for married couples with children were much more favourable in this country. In their case the discrepancy between their treatment under Deputy Cosgrave's Government and under the present Government was much more pronounced. With his 3s. 6d. rate married couples with three children and with incomes of over £400 would have paid £3 18s. 9d., but with the present 5s. rate they paid nothing; with £450 under the old Government they would have paid £7 11s. 3d.; now they pay nothing. All along the line there were reductions, and in many instances amounts for which income taxpayers were liable were much smaller than in England or Northern Ireland.

Did anybody believe that Deputy Cosgrave would have been able to balance his Budget without increasing the income tax? He was certain that Mr. Cosgrave could not have carried on without bringing income tax to the standard rate of 5s.

MR. COSGRAVE LEAVES.

At this remark, Mr. Cosgrave, who had sat through the Minister's speech gave a long groan—Oh-h-h-h! and left the House, causing a good deal of laughter at the manner of his exit.

The MINISTER, proceeding, said that he was about to deal with the surtax. Mr. Cosgrave was fond of figures, but when he talked about them he reminded him of a man with hob-nailed boots trying to walk on ice. He did not trip, but slid and sprawled all through his criticism of the surtax proposals. He had talked of an individual with an income of £100,000, although he admitted that such did not exist in the Free State, and said that he would have to pay 5s. in the £ income tax, 6s. 3d. surtax and 2s. 6d. which could not be called income tax. He (the Minister) did not know how that 2s. 6d came in, and, according to his calculations, such individual could only be liable for 10s. 10d. in the £.

Mr. Cosgrave had also been eloquent in defending the rights of the big corporations. What was the record of his own Government? He alleged that the additional imposition which they were putting on was a crushing one, as it was going to make it impossible for these firms to carry on in this country. What was Mr. Cosgrave's own record in regard to the big industry which finds a large share of its market in Great Britain? By the refusal of that company to maintain a register of its shareholders here the State lost a substantial amount in estate duties when one of its Irish shareholders died.

It was Deputy Cosgrave who, in 1928, in order to secure for this country some compensation for that loss, introduced this principle of differentiation.

A CRUSHING IMPOST.

Deputy Blythe, in a Finance Bill, brought in a section whereby foreign companies operating in this country, and did not maintain a register of their shareholders, were charged an additional 2½ per cent. The present Government was compelled to follow that precedent through dire necessity, and without a desire to discriminate against any section of the people. Mr. Cosgrave now said that the extra 6d. now imposed was a crushing impost; but that was an accusation against his own Government—a verdict of guilty—because to make that charge was to say that the extra 6d. was the last straw which broke the camel's back. Deputy Cosgrave did not believe that, any more than he did. Deputy Cosgrave was eloquent in his tears when he came to consider the case of another banking corporation which, for the first time, had been brought within the scope of these taxes. If discrimination in taxation was an unjust principle, why had Deputy Cosgrave's Government over ten years discriminated in favour of that bank. No doubt, that bank had rendered very valuable service to the Government during the last ten years; but why, when every other bank had to pay profit tax, was this particular bank privileged?

Mr. Cosgrave also had talked about the widow's mite, but were there no widows' investments in other banks, and why did he not play the weeping widows in regard to widows' investments in other banks just as well as he did in regard to the bank in whose shares he himself advised his own friends to invest? Was it that this bank remained privileged beause it was the stocking in which Deputy Cosgrave and his friends put their savings?

THE CURRENCY COMMISSION.

Again, Mr. Cosgrave was indignant about a tax which he said was on the Currency Commission. Mr. Cosgrave, in his speech attacking the Budget, did not even know what was in the Budget. There was no tax on the Currency Commission. The Currency Commission was not being used to collect the tax. There was a stamp duty on consolidated bank notes, and their predecessors also levied a tax upon the consolidated bank notes, but called it a fee. It came into the Exchequer as revenue and was used to defray ordinary expenditure during the year. He did not say that it would remain a permanent impost, but in the present circumstances—and the Budget must be related to present circumstances—when they had imposed 5s. on the income tax, slightly increased super-tax and the corporation profits tax, and put a duty on tobacco, and indirect taxation on every section of the community of almost £100,000, and were still short, where else in such circumstances could they more fittingly turn than to this concession given by the community and the State to the banks, and ask them in the present circumstances and in desperate need to forego some share, even a large share, of the profits that the consolidated bank note issue brought them?

It was because they could not get it from anywhere else that they were justified in asking the banks to forego this year some portion of their profits to aid the State. Deputies McGilligan and Cosgrave had stated that this flavoured of inflation. The total inflation would be less than 1.02 per cent. When an argument that was burlesque was adopted they could understand how sound the Budget was.

INCOMES FROM RENTS.

Speaking of incomes derived from rents chargeable under Schedule D, he continued, Deputy Cosgrave had said that it was a tax on business rents, and that it was an attack on house rents and on dwellinghouses, but the resolution had no connection with house rents at all. It referred only to premises occupied for business or professional purposes with a valuation of £205, let by the owner at £1,000 per annum plus rates. Would the Opposition stand for that? Those voting against the Budget would allow the person owning that property to escape scot-free of £795 of assessment.

Coming to criticism of the tea tax, he said that, instead of tea being the staple diet of children in many parts of the Gaeltacht, for the first time something was being done to see that the children were brought up on milk.

THE SWEEPSTAKES MONEY.

Dealing with the hospitals' sweepstakes, he said that it had been said outside that he was robbing the hospitals. Quite true. But he had intimated to the Hospitals' Committee that it would be necessary to get about £650,000 out of the sweepstakes, and he had proposed to take it in a way which would have reduced the burden on the hospitals to about 6 per cent. He had proposed to take it from the whole "pool," but when the Emergency Committee heard of this they came to him and made representations, and he accepted the suggestion that, instead of making the levy on the whole "pool," he should restrict himself to the hospitals' share.

A number of the Opposition deputies who went to the hospital meeting and tried to make political capital out of that were as aware of this as he was. He did not believe that because he was doing this it would injure the future of the sweepstakes one whit. He had been asked was it right to take this, and he had no hesitation in saying yes.

THE DIVINE INJUNCTION.

For a considerable time past there had been demands to devote some portion of the proceeds of the sweepstakes to other public uses of a humanitarian character. Resolutions were adopted at meetings asking that a share of the fund should be allocated for the purpose of housing, and the Government even had been made that some of it should be utilised for relief. To his mind, the Divine injunction to feed the hungary, clothe the naked and harbour the harbourless took precedence over the injunction to tend the sick.

On the ground that prevention was better than cure, he had no hesitation in taking a share of the hospitals' "sweep." He still believed that when it came to taking a chance their friends across the water would be ready to take that chance if they saw that the prize was worth while.

BUDGET DEFECTS.

AMENDMENT STILL POSSIBLE.

The Budget had its defects, and on the Committee stage he would be prepared to consider any proposition put forward in a reasonable way to meet the convenience of the public, if it did not set into the revenue. The Opposition had complained because he had imposed indirect taxation on the rich, and the Labour Party had complained because he had imposed indirect taxation on the other sections. He deplored that he had to tax anyone, but what was the alternative? They were faced with an expenditure of £26,704,000, and they had estimated revenue of £23,310,000. To meet that deficit it was a case of balancing or borrowing, and, because borrowing cost twice as much—for it mortgaged the future and poached into the reserve social services—he balanced.

In the circumstances, if the Opposition had been in power, they would have had to tax heavily or else cut the social services, and they could not have borrowed again to meet their Budget deficit.

TAXING THE RICH FOR THE POOR.

Notwithstanding the criticism levelled at their proposals, National Loan had gone up, showing that the people appreciated that under a Fianna Fail Government the public services would be carefully and honestly administered, and that it would not, by disinterest book-keeping, be going the figures, hide the truth from the Irish people. Deputy Cosgrave had delivered the key speech against the Budget, and it was one long wail for the plutocrats. The present Government was an enemy neither of the rich nor of the poor. All members of the community would receive its most careful attention and consideration, according to their necessities. The Government would not hesitate to tax the rich so as to save the poor. No man was more responsible for the position in which the rich and the poor alike found themselves than the leader of the Opposition, because if it were not for him there would have been a considerable amount of money available in this country at the moment with which to balance the Budget and relieve the community of the taxation the Government had now to impose.

For the last five years Deputy Blythe had borne the odium of having put his hand to a document known as the Ultimate Financial Settlement, but it was not disclosed that he had been made a stalking-horse, and that the man who to-day spoke about honourable obligations, and who signed the document leading to that settlement was Deputy Cosgrave, when he hied himself across the water as Minister for Finance. There he met in secret bugger-mugger his allies and his masters, and a love child was brought home and buried deep in the archives of the State, and kept there until Mr. Thomas disinterred its dishonourable bones to hold them up as the one claim which Great Britain had to three million pounds which she put into her Exchequer every year.

The British did not rely on the law or on the Treaty in connection with these land annuities, nor on the Ten Commandments, but on a certain agreement to which Deputy Cosgrave had put his hand in February, 1923, and which was written in secret.

FINDING A SETTLEMENT.

If they were not able to do everything in regard to land annuities—and he was not despairing in the matter—it was because of Deputy Cosgrave and Deputy McGilligan, and it ill become them to refer to that question. The problem was one in which they might find a settlement in a speedy and satisfactory way. Since the question of the Land Annuities was still in suspense there was no alternative in putting the finance of the State on a sound basis except to provide the money out of taxation.

The Budget stood as a Christian, humane and honest Budget. It may be that some people would be deprived of luxuries, and opulent folk will have to curtail their expenditure, but, at any rate, in this, the first Fianna Fail Budget, there would be bread for the people.

THE DIVISION.

The motion that the resolution pass was carried by 71 votes to 59.

There voted for:—

Fianna Fail—Deputies Aiken, Allen, Bartley, Beegan, Blaney, G. Boland, P. Boland, D. Burke, B. Brady, S. Brady, Breathnach, Breen, Briscoe, Browne, Carney, Carty, Clery, Colbert, Cooney, Corry, T. Crowley, Derrig, de Valera, Dowdall, J. Flynn, S. Flynn, Fogarty, Geoghegan, Gibbons, Gorman, Gorry, Goulding, Harris, S. Hayes, Humphreys, Jordan, Kelly, Kennedy, Keyes, Kilroy, Kissane, Lemass, J. B. Lynch, McElligott, MacEntee, V. Maguire, C. Maguire, Moane, Moore, F. S. Murphy, O'Grady, O'Kelly, M. O'Reilly, O'Rourke, Powell, Rice, Ruttledge, J. Ryan, E. Ryan, Sexton, Sheridan, Smith, Traynor, Walshe, Ward.

Labour—Deputies Curran, Davin, Everett, Hogan, Norton.

Independent—Deputy Dillon. Total—71.

Against:

Cumann na nGaedheal—Deputies Beckett, Bennett, Blythe, S. Burke, W. J. Broderick, S. Broderick, T. Burke, J. J. Byrne, Mrs Collins-O'Driscoll, Conlon, Cosgrave, Davis, Deamond, Dockrell, Doyle, Finlay, Fitz-Gerald-Kenney, Fitzgerald, Gorey, Nassett, Hennessy, Hennigan, Keating, Keogh, Kierney, F. Lynch, McDonagh, McKeown, McMenamin, Minch, Mongan, Mulcahy, Murphy, Nally, O'Brien, O'Connor, O'Higgins, O'Neill, J. J. O'Reilly, G. O'Sullivan, J. M. O'Sullivan, Reidy, Mrs. Reynolds, Roddy.

Independents—Deputies Alton, Brasier, A. Byrne, Coburn, Sir James Craig, Good, McDermot, Myles, O'Hanlon, Thrift, Wolfe.

Independent Labour—Deputies Anthony and Morrissey.

Farmers — Deputies O'Donovan and O'Shaughnessy. Total—59.

DAIRY PRODUCE BILL.

THE TIME LIMIT.

On the Committee stage of the Dairy Produce (Price Stabilisation) Bill,

The first amendment stood in the name of Deputy MacMENAMIN (C. na nG.), who moved that the Act continue in force until 31st March, 1934, and shall then expire.

Mr. DAVIN (Lab., Leix-Offaly) moved an amendment limiting the life of the bill to one year.

Mr. DAVIN said that if the Government succeeded in their claim for retention of the land annuities, and if the dairying industry were in the same perilous position in twelve months' time, there could be no more appropriate use for some of the money than subsidising that industry. The life of the bill should be limited to one year instead of two, and in the meantime the industry should arrange, or should be coerced into arranging, a proper marketing organisation to enable them to compete with Denmark, New Zealand and Australia.

Mr. O'NEILL (C. na nG., Cork, West) said that as there was agreement that this was an experiment the Minister might say what he thought should be the lifetime of the bill.

Dr. RYAN, Minister for Agriculture, said that when the price of butter reached 125s. there would be no need to continue the bill. They hoped to reach that position in a few years. It would be very little hope or help for farmers if they were to announce that the bill was to operate for one year only. If they did not give some undertaking to the farmers that the bill would be continued for a reasonable period they would not remain in the dairying industry. One or two years would be unfair, and he thought that the period should be five years.

MINISTER'S PROMISE.

Mr. O'SHAUGHNESSY (Far., Limerick) said that but for the introduction of this bill dairy farmers in the Free State would have gone out of existence. This scheme would bring hope to the farmers, inasmuch as they would have a Government which was willing to foster their industry. There should be no time-limit to the bill.

Mr. DAVIN (Lab., Leix-Offaly) objected to withdrawing the amendment, even on the consideration that the Minister would bring in an amendment on the report stage. Mr. Davin said that the time-limit proposal was only put in for the purpose of finding out, at the end of the period, whether money should not be available from some other source, and they were entitled to know at the end of a year or two whether the people engaged in the industry were prepared to face the fact that their industry was not properly organised for marketing purposes.

The amendment was later withdrawn, the Minister promising to bring in an amendment on the report stage fixing the period at three years.

Mr. FIONAN LYNCH (C. na G., Kerry) proposed an amendment to Section 5 of the bill, the effect of which was to add to the schedule all creameries situated in the Gaeltacht. There was, he said, a general grievance that these creameries were not able to stand the competition, and they should be given the benefit extended to the creameries in the schedule.

The amendment was accepted.

Progress was reported.

THE NEW DUTIES.

EFFECT ON MAIZE MILLS.

The MINISTER FOR INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE moved a motion for the approval of the Customs Duties (Maize Meal) (Provisional Imposition) Order, 1932. He said that some months ago a duty was imposed on maize meal imported into the United Kingdom, in consequence of which there was reason to anticipate increased importation of maize meal into this country which would produce undesirable reactions on the industry here. A number of maize millers in certain parts of the Free State who had an export trade with the United Kingdom of over 15,000 cwts. per annum lost that trade, and in some cases there was reason to anticipate that these millers would go out of business. In the circumstances the Executive Council decided to impose a duty on imports. The position of the industry was that it was able to supply by far the greater part of the country's requirements—in fact, eleven-twelfths of the home demand.

The imposition of the duty had given the industry considerable assistance, and had already resulted in the establishment of a number of new mills in the Saorstat, and had not had any detrimental effects on the farmers. In the Dail last week they had had allegations that merchants in Donegal had availed themselves of the imposition of the duty to charge increased prices. From inquiries he had made he found that the wholesale prices in Donegal had been reduced by five shillings a ton, and that, in fact, a number of Derry millers had commenced operations in Donegal. In a few towns along the border where farmers used to draw their supplies from the six counties some small difficulty had arisen, but it would disappear shortly. In other places, including the County Monaghan, competition had resulted in reduction of prices. The imposition of the duty had been highly satisfactory. Considerable additional employment had been given, and the disadvantages under which the industry had been working were now removed.

DISASTROUS POLICY.

Mr. DILLON (Ind., Donegal) protested vigourously against the motion. It was, he said, proceeding on a basis which he described as insane. Everybody admitted that agriculture was the foundation of the whole State. The Minister's proposal would deprive the farmers of the benefit of world prices for maize. The Minister did not seem to realise the possibility that the difference in freight rates on Indian meal might result in an increased price. He opposed the motion most strenuously, because he was convinced that it was based on a most disastrous policy.

The MINISTER, answering questions, said that it should be remembered that the tariff imposed on oatmeal years ago did not result in any increase in price, and some of the Irish millers had built up a great export trade. They were not taxing the raw material of the farmer; they were taxing only the products manufactured outside the country. There was in this country milling capacity to supply more than the needs of the people. There was keen competition between producers, and so long as that continued prices would be kept down to a minimum. The complaint of some millers was that they could not get an economic return. A number of new mills had been established since the tariff was imposed. If necessary, the importation of corn would be taken into the hands of the State as a last resort.

Mr. McGILLIGAN (C. na nG., National University) said that it was known that rings had been formed since the tariffs were imposed.

The motion was agreed to.

THE FURNITURE BUSINESS.

LOCAL FIRMS DOING WELL.

The MINISTER for INDUSTRY and COMMERCE, moving that the Customs duty of 75 per cent. on imported furniture, with an imperial preference rate of 50 per cent., be approved, said that as a result of the imposition of the 33⅓ Customs duty on furniture in 1925, the furniture-making industry had made fairly rapid progress here. The number of firms engaged in the industry had increased from 16 to 100, and the number of workers employed on the basis of full-time employment from 300 to 1,545 in September of last year. The progress made by the industry was all the more remarkable in view of a certain prejudice which existed on the part of certain large retailers in the State against home produced furniture. The Department of Industry and Commerce under the late administration on several occasions made representation to these large retail houses to induce them to place more orders with Saorstat firms. As a result the position was somewhat improved, but a considerable importation of furniture still continued despite the duty, and the value last year had been £109,000.

The existing industries were quite competent to supply all the country's reasonable requirements, and prices were falling continuously. The position was that the factories were almost, if not entirely able to produce at the same price as the larger factories in England. That was a creditable achievement considering the short period in which the industry had been given an opportunity to develop. One firm had reached the point where it was building up a substantial export trade, particularly in a certain class of furniture.

HOURS AND WAGES.

The industry was one which it was very desirable to assist in developing, because of the nature of the employment given and the average wages paid to skilled workers. The average wages paid to skilled workers was over £4 a week, and there was an opportunity given to young people to become apprentices to a skilled trade that would give them a means of securing a livelihood in after-life.

A number of firms had begun to operate that were not observing the working hours and standard wages, and, while that was a matter for the employers and trade union concerned, it had given the Department some concern, and it might be necessary to take action in the matter if the position was not remedied. A fairly good amount of employment would be given as a result of the duty.

TARIFFS AND EXPORT TRADE.

Mr ANTHONY (Independent Labour, Cork City) asked how an export trade was to be developed if a tariff was to be placed on imported furniture. There was, he said, a demand for cheap, but good, furniture. If the bill ended the traffic in shoddy furniture he would approve that, but they wanted furniture available at reasonable prices for people with moderate incomes.

Was the Minister so childish as to think that by antagonising people across the water by high tariffs that he was going to develop an export trade?

MORE THAN SYMPATHY WANTED.

Mr. NORTON (Labour, Kildare) said that anything that helped to preserve the home market in furniture for the Irish manufacturers was deserving of the support of the House. He would like to have something more definite from the Minister than mere sympathy in regard to the wages and conditions of employment in the industry. It was a notorious fact that woodwork and joinery work were being carried on in the City of Dublin and throughout the country under conditions which were a reflection upon the industry.

Major MYLES (Independent, Donegal) said that an industry that already had a tariff of 33⅓ per cent. and could not compete with the outside world was not worth bolstering up.

ANOTHER SIDE TO THE PICTURE.

Mr. McGILLIGAN (C. na nG., N.U.I.) said that the Minister, when stating that the importation last year was £109,000, did not tell them that that was a decrease on the previous year's figures. There was only one firm in the country, which was really an individual, manufacturing furniture of a very high class, and it was worth considering whether the tariff on the higher grade of furniture should not be reduced, and that on the lower grade increased. He could not understand why trade unions were not able to look after their own people in the industry. The only excuse was that some of the small firms in the back streets employed non-union labour, and, consequently, did not come under trade conditions. The contention made by employers was that the workers here worked shorter hours and got better wages than in Great Britain, and that the tariff was not sufficient to counteract that difference.

As the tariff had been increased there would be a demand that the workers should get a little extra, and he did not remember any tariff put on that some manufacturers did not consider that the effect of the tariff had been completely wiped out by something else. He was sure that when the seventy-five per cent. tariff had been on for some time it would be contended that it was not sufficient, and that there should be total prohibition.

A TOO HIGH TARIFF.

Mr. BRAZIER (Independent, Cork, E.) said that no better furniture was made anywhere than that made in Cork. There was no doubt about it, the industry deserved their sympathy, but there was no necessity for such a high tariff. The tariff was too high, and would have the effect of increasing the prices to the consumer, with the result that the demand would decrease.

Mr. GOOD (Indpt., Dublin County) asked the Minister if he would inform the House from what source the demand for the higher tariff came. Why was it necessary to add 75 per cent. to the 33⅓ which was already in being, and what was the object of the Minister in acceding to the demand

Mr. DILLON (Indpt., Donegal) said that if the tariff was applied in its present form it would work great hardship and practically break up a large number of auctioneering firms in the City of Dublin, and throw a considerable number out of employment.

Mr. MOORE (F.F., Wicklow) asked whether there was a real check on the invoice prices of furniture imported. He understood there was wholesale swindling going on, and said that Customs officers had no means of judging whether the values declared were correct or not.

Mr MULCAHY (C. na nG., Dublin, North) said that one heard of complaints about manufacturers in this industry who wanted to introduce new processes and of objection being taken to these new processes. He wondered if the aspect of reducing the cost of production had been discussed with the Minister.

MINISTER'S REPLY.

REASONS FOR HEAVY DUTY.

Mr. LEMASS, Minister for Industry and Commerce, said that Mr. Mulcahy was misinformed. The factories were very up-to-date and had recently acquired the newest machinery. As to the checking of invoice prices, complaints had reached him in regard to second-hand furniture, particularly from Cork, and strong representations were made that second-hand furniture was coming in at prices ridiculously low. The matter was being looked into, but it was difficult to fix a standard at which second-hand furniture could be checked. There was also the difficulty of procuring the certificate of origin from the manufacturer required by the Revenue Commissioners, but an arrangement had now been made by which the Revenue Commissioners would be satisfied to grant the preferential rate if shown that the furniture were of English, Scottish, or Dominion origin. He believed that anybody familiar with furniture could tell foreign furniture at a glance.

One of the reasons for this heavy duty was that there was developing in Great Britain an industry for the manufacture of furniture on similar lines to that complained of here—namely, back kitchen industries, where furniture was being produced in yards and places under conditions of labour which would not be tolerated if known. Furniture manufactured in that way was being imported here and sold in competition with the home products at prices which rendered the thirty-three and a third per cent. tariff useless.

He was not quite clear why the labour unions and the manufacturers' organisations with whom he had discussed the matter could have settled this matter between them. He understood that they were making efforts to do so. Whether they failed or not, it might be necessary to secure for the Department of Industry and Commerce more extended powers for the enforcement of the Factory Acts. There were ways in which these Acts were evaded, though in the majority of cases the actual terms of the Factory Acts were complied with; but there were many cases where conditions of labour were unsatisfactory.

AN EXPORT TRADE.

He was asked how he proposed to build up an export trade. He did not propose to do it—it was a matter for the manufacturers themselves, and one factory was doing it. The surest way was to secure for the manufacturer a sure footing in the home market. There was no country in the world with a substantial trade that had not first secured itself in its own market.

As to the point raised by Deputy Alfred Byrne concerning the quality of the material used in the smaller furniture factories in Dublin, that would arise for examination after certain legislation had been introduced to deal with prices. If people insisted on buying foreign furniture it was only reasonable that they should contribute to the revenue of the State. The home industry was quite capable of producing all the furniture required.

Mr. GOOD (Ind., Co. Dublin) asked from what section the demand for the increased duty came, and also what was the prospect of getting increased employment for juveniles in this trade.

The MINISTER said that he was not in a position to give concise information as to the number of apprenticeships in the trade, but there was some, and there were also classes in the technical schools where training was done.

THE CASE FOR A TARIFF.

As to whence the demand came, he did not think there should be any demand before the Government took action. Generally speaking, the case for a tariff was discussed with representatives of the employers.

Mr. McGILLIGAN—At their request?

The MINISTER—No. After the change of Government took place the trade associations in respect of these industries were invited to come together at Government Buildings, where I had an opportunity of discussing with them the conditions in relation to their industries.

Mr. GOOD asked did the Minister not think it desirable, before additional duty was put on, to consult those interested in this trade. If they were going to get impositions of this kind there might be serious reactions. He had seen resolutions from a body of furniture employers protesting against the imposition.

Mr. LEMASS said that other resolutions had been passed repudiating the right of the organisation Mr Good had in mind to speak on their behalf.

Mr. DOCKRELL (C. na nG., Co. Dublin) asked were the retail furniture merchants called into consultation.

The MINISTER said that he could not answer, but he wanted to make clear that there must be a demand before imposing a tariff. Where reasonable and possible, he was prepared to discuss matters with all concerned, but he was not going to call retailers together and give them due notice that a tariff was about to be introduced.

Mr. McGILLIGAN asked what were the extraordinary importations threatened that caused the increased tariff.

The MINISTER said that he was not in a position to give details of actual importations as reported by the Customs officers. There was reason, however, to believe that further increased imports were likely, and for that reason the Executive Council imposed the tariff by Order.

A GRAVE DANGER.

Mr. COSGRAVE (C. na nG., Cork) asked what percentage of increase took place, or if a two months' supply had come in within two or three weeks. There was a grave danger that they would lose the export trade. There were several industries which had not anything like a big sale in this country, but which exported extensively. The mere assertion that dumping was taking place or was anticipated was not sufficient argument.

Mr. E. BLYTHE (C. na nG., Monaghan) said that no case had been made by the Minister for this increased tariff. It meant that this was a completely prohibitive tariff, but on general principles it was undesirable to impose any tariff of that particular sort. There might be a key industry where a high tariff would be justified, but, even in a key industry, it was doubtful that there should be no external competition at all. In imposing a completely prohibitive tariff they were putting temptations to the manufacturers to join together in "rings" and

IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

Cardinal O'Connell : A Belfast Statue : White Hairs.
The Booty in the Bag : The Pollen Peril.

The "Black Man."

There is, I am told, a possibility that the statue of the Reverend Dr. Hanna, at Carlisle Circus, Belfast, may be removed on the grounds that it is an obstruction to the gyratory system of traffic which has been in operation at this point for some time. The statue, which has been a landmark for many years, obstructs the vision of motorists to some extent, and the police authorities have recommended its removal to the Corporation Improvements Committee, which has yet to make its decision.

On my last visit to Belfast I noticed that the statue of Dr. Cooke—known popularly as the "Black Man"—prevents drivers from taking a wide sweep from Great Victoria street into Wellington place. This point has become a kind of unofficial 'bus terminus, and the drivers frequently are unable to pass with ease. It would be a problem to find a site for either of these statues if the Corporation decided to remove them. The only available and suitable spot, a friend tells me, would be outside the Assembly College, which has been used as the Parliament House since the inception of the Northern Government.

Unexpected Treasure Trove.

The days of unexpected fortunes to be found in strange places are not by any means over, although recent stories lack most of the romance associated with their old-time prototypes. Still, the Norwich man, for instance, who during the height of the gold "drive" the other day produced half-a-hundred sovereigns which had lain hidden away in a modern gas-pipe was, I imagine, as little perturbed over the commonplace nature of their origin as was his contemporary elsewhere who admitted to having retrieved a dozen or so from the dust-bin. An ancient flour sack has just turned out to be treasure trove for Mr. Tom Fitzgerald, an Irish barber of Pennsylvania. He was cleaning out an old house which he had inherited, and came across an old chest in the attic, and in it was the sack, containing over £2,000 in notes and gold. Mr. Fitzgerald, by the way, is preparing to come to Ireland to spend some of the money. A few months ago an Italian art dealer noticed something wrong with one of his pictures. While he was examining it, the frame broke, and a cascade of gold coins fell out. They amounted to several hundreds of old French currency which had been secreted in the hollow woodwork since the time of Napoleon I. The tidy fortune of £15,000 came from behind the sagging wallpaper of a dwelling in London a little while ago.

America's Senior Cardinal.

The *doyen* of United States Cardinals—all four of whom will visit Ireland next month for the Eucharistic Congress—is, of course, the seventy-two-year-old Archbishop of Boston, Cardinal O'Connell. Born on December 8th, 1859, at Lowell, Massachusetts, he was the seventh son and the eleventh child in a large Irish family, his father coming of a well-known County Meath family, and his mother, Bridget Farley, being born and raised in the little village of Enagh, Co. Cavan. When William, the future cardinal, had reached the age of four, his father died, and Mrs. O'Connell had a hard struggle to bring up her large family. The young O'Connell was educated at Edson School, Lowell. He decided for the priesthood, and entered the seminary of St. Charles College in Maryland, later graduating from Boston College, and completing his clerical studies in the American College in Rome. He was ordained to the priesthood on June 8th, 1884, by Cardinal Monaco in St. John Lateran, and assigned to the curacy of St. Joseph's Church, Medford, Massachusetts.

After nearly twenty years of parochial work, in 1895, Father O'Connell was appointed Rector of the American College, Rome, and in this capacity he worked so well that two years later Pope Leo made him Monsignor and domestic prelate. In 1901 he was recalled to America as Bishop of Portland. In that diocese he remained but five years, during which he visited Japan as special Papal Ambassador to negotiate with the Mikado for the protection of Roman Catholic missionaries there. He succeeded Archbishop Williams as Archbishop of Boston in 1906, and some years later was created Cardinal, being the fourth American to receive the hat.

Hay Fever.

The season for that distressing malady, hay fever, is again at hand, and, although admittedly it is a very minor complaint, few sufferers will deny its unpleasantness. The fever is due to a person's sensitivity to the minute grains of pollen of certain plants which are borne in the air, and call forth the well-known symptoms of sneezing and irritation to the eyes and throat. In some cases, seasonal deafness is a feature. From now till about the end of July—if the weather is dry and sunny—pollen clouds may be expected about the meadows and gardens, spreading in every directing, according to the wind. I have not heard of any infallible cure, and, apart from a complete change of environment during the time, the most successful treatment appears to be by vaccination, the aim of which is to make the patient immune against the specific poisons to which he is susceptible. This is taken at intervals during the early months of the year. In America accurate botanical surveys have been made in many States with a view to ascertaining districts in which the ailment may be escaped.

The Blanching of a Horse.

Instances are on record of the human hair becoming blanched in a brief space of time, or even in a single night, from severe fright. One may recall how Byron makes Bonivard, the hero of "The Prisoner of Chillon," say:

My hair is grey, but not with years,
Nor grew it white in a single night,
As men's have grown from sudden fears.

That terror can produce a similar effect in the animal world may seem to be approaching upon the incredible; yet an instance has been recorded recently of a horse that had his hair turned white by the passage of an aeroplane over him in a long field in which he happened to be grazing. The animal took fright at the approach of the air machine, and galloped madly in terror along, while the aviator, who nearly alighted on him, continued his course in the same direction. The horse was not seen for three days, and when he eventually turned up, the mane, which was originally black, had turned white and the tail quite grey, and have remained so ever since, though the occurrence took place six years ago.

Historical Errors.

The curious slips made from time to time in artistic historical records are not, I notice, confined to this side of the Atlantic. One of the cherished pictures of the United States shows George Washington standing in a boat crossing the river Delaware, with the "stars and stripes" floating gaily overhead. It has been discovered that the American flag, as shown in the picture, was not adopted until six months after Washington crossed the Delaware. The United States Government once issued a series of postage stamps to commemorate the discovery of the country by Columbus. One stamp depicted him in the bow of his little ship, shading his eyes with his hand and looking ahead to the American shore. In the picture he was clean shaven, but the next stamp in order of value showed him landing and being received by a group of polite savages. Although it must have been only some few hours afterwards, Columbus had managed to grow a full beard.

QUIDNUNC.

SOUTH OF IRELAND CONVENTION.

A group photographed yesterday at Seapatrick Hotel, Greystones. Seated (left to right): The Rev. Westland Rose, Miss Olive Bewley, Mr. W. H. Going and Bishop Taylor Smith. Behind: Mr. A. Buckley, Canon Warner, Mr. R. Warren and the Rev. R. B. Jones.

GOING, GOING, GONE!

LOTS OF QUEER LOTS AT THE QUAYSIDE.

By a Special Correspondent.

"LOT 4B," said the auctioneer, "three dozen bird-cages. Who'll give me a start?"

"Threepence," I said.

The auctioneer looked at me more in sorrow than in anger. "Very useful for bird-fanciers," he suggested, coaxingly.

"Sixpence," announced a man at the other side of the room, and there was a responsive chorus of "Ninepence" in various accents and keys. "A bob," said a quiet voice beside me.

The auctioneer tapped the ledge of his rostrum with an ebony ruler, the clerk on his left entered the transaction in a ledger, and the uniformed Customs official on the other side brandished the next lot—an assortment of mops, brushes, serviette rings and other goods, which the clerk rightly summed up as "a mixed lot."

We were in Room 110 at the Custom House, Dublin, amongst a chaos of dutiable articles, whose owners had wanted to bring them into the Free State without paying the duty, but had fallen by the quayside. The Revenue Commissioners allow these articles to accumulate until the collection attains embarrassing proportions, and then they call in the auctioneer to dispose of them. Coming, approximately, every six months, these sales are among the most pleasant customs which the Customs authorities have.

If you have had your property seized during the interim between the previous sale and this, you may recognise it here, and have the privilege of bidding for it against all comers. If it consists of accessories to the well-being of males, you stand a good chance of getting it easily, but if it consists of women's apparel the chances are that you will be called upon to put up a stubborn fight. Although prices vary, however, according to the demand, it can be said that this is the mart where, generally speaking, new goods are to be got at second-hand prices.

If you want half a dozen shirts, a typewriter or a bottle of whiskey, by all means send the wife to the Customs auction, but it is as likely as not that she will come back with a dozen pairs of silk stockings, a four-piece suit for the baby, and a bundle of women's clothing, which she has bought for the sake of the blouse on the outside. Such a possibility, of course, is all part of the uncertainty of this most uncertain of sales.

There were "men's lots," "women's lots" and "children's lots," as well as "mixed lots," "useful lots" and lots of other lots, held up by the auctioneer's clerk yesterday morning, and the women in the audience bid for them with frantic eagerness. Railed off at one side of the room was the stock-in-trade—a jumble of boots and clothing, with odd articles which would be described in any catalogue as "miscellaneous," and a gleaming array of bottles of wine, bottles of whiskey, bottles of rum, and cigars as a necessary accompaniment.

"Women's lots" were the principal commodity offered during the morning—mysterious bundles fastened on little wooden boards, which were snapped up at the rate of one a minute, at prices ranging from five to fifteen shillings for a dozen or more garments, which seemed to me to be better bargains even than that of the lady who had a parcel of six potato-peelers knocked down to her for 2s. 3d.

NORTHERN NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE.

A CENTURY OF HISTORY.

Our contemporary, the *Belfast News-Letter*, is to be complimented on a venture in the form of a supplement to Tuesday's issue.

This supplement of sixteen four-column pages, on paper of a soft blue tone, is acceptable documentary evidence of the "progress of a century" in the life of the Northern capital.

It is well printed and generously illustrated, while the disposition of the letterpress is attractively done. The supplement will be welcomed as a souvenir of what has been accomplished during a hundred years in Belfast.

The articles deal comprehensively and interestingly with the commerce, industry and art of Ulster; with the linen trade, the city as "One of the World's Great Seaports"; with banking, farming, distilling and others of the principal industries and undertakings, commercial and financial, in the North.

An interesting feature of the supplement is a reduced facsimile reproduction of the front page of the *Belfast News-Letter* of 6th March, 1738.

DR. NATHANIEL ALCOCK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I am intensely puzzled by the paragraph in "An Irishman's Diary" in to-day's *Irish Times* about the marble tablet to the memory of Dr. Nathaniel Alcock. I was Dr. Alcock's most intimate friend from the time when my College tutor, the late Dr. T. K. Abbott, introduced me to him about 1885. Alcock was only fifteen then, and I coached him for his entrance and other College examinations. During the long vacations I stayed with him and his mother and brother in Greystones; and there was not a foot of Bray Head or the two Sugarloaves which we did not know.

The details of the memorial tablet appear to be all wrong. Nathaniel Alcock did not die in 1904, and he was not anywhere near sixty-five years of age at that date. He was married on April 29th, 1905, to Nora Lilian Lepard, daughter of Sir John Scott, K.C.M.G., D.C.L., and had four children. He died in Canada, where he had the post of Professor of Physiology in McGill University, Montreal. The date of his death was June 12th, 1913. I have in my possession a letter from him dated from the McGill University, November 14th, 1911; also an invitation to his wedding reception, and an obituary notice cut from the *Irish Times*. It is hardly possible that there could have been two Nathaniel Alcocks, both doctors, and both resident in or near Bray in the last decade of the nineteenth century and unknown to each other.—Yours, etc.,

W. F. A. Ellison, Director,
Armagh Observatory, May 23rd, 1932.

"Bermaline" Bread.
Recommended for Easy Digestion.—Advt.

DUBLIN HARBOUR NOTES.

THE LONELY SEA AND THE SKY.

BUSY CUSTOMS.

From Our Harbour Correspondent.

AN old sailing ship captain, who resides in Dublin, shook his head sadly when discussing the passages made this year by the windjammers engaged in the grain race from Australian ports. He referred to the times when quite a number of these vessels had British masters in command, and, although the crews usually consisted of "Dutchmen, Danes and divils," one hundred days were considered to be a passage below the average. This season one vessel has actually taken 146 days to come home, while the Abraham Ryberg, which, incidentally, visited the Liffey two years ago, did not reach the Thames for four months.

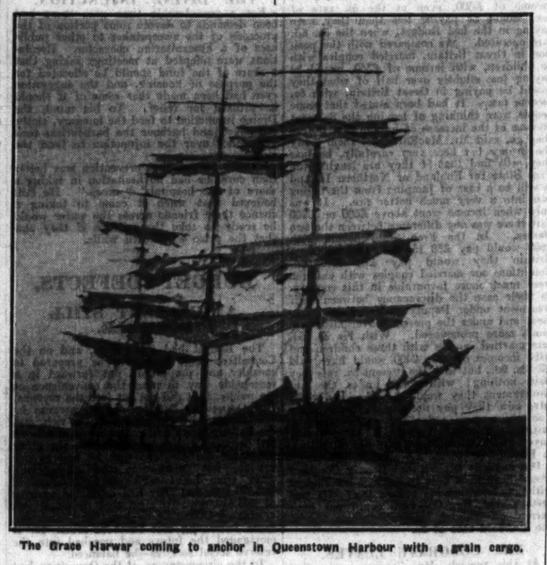
Although the sailor dislikes leaving an Australian port, and the friends he has made there during a stay of, perhaps, three months, while the ship discharges and loads her cargoes, he experiences a strange feeling of elation once his vessel is taken to sea and the tug casts off the tow-rope. The soulless walls which enclose the narrow docks, the racket of steamers' winches and the roar of the busy earth are left behind. Around him now lie the measureless expanse of the sea and the sky; the breeze, purified by sweeping over the sheer salt leagues and the impressive silence of nature in repose.

The squat tug, belching forth black smoke and looking like some unclean thing in the bright sunshine, scurries back to the land, leaving the slim hull of the sailing ship to move along alone under her lower topsails. As though shy of the eyes of men, it is only then that she gradually unfolds her beauty as the yards are hoisted; the canvas, looking like white clouds in captivity, billows out in round contours. Tiers of sails grow one above the other until at length she becomes a lofty pyramid, a creature of dignity and loveliness, pursuing her solitary pilgrimage towards the unattainable horizon.

TARIFF REFORM.

Naturally we, as law-abiding citizens, always declare any contraband articles which we may have in our possession when landing from the mail steamer at Kingstown, and thus facilitate the work of the Customs men on the pier. The Customs staff at the North Wall, however, are denied such assistance. Further, there are people who, if possible, would basely deprive Mr. MacEntee of his revenue by putting false labels on packages or by employing other deceptive measures. It was with difficulty, in consequence, that the staff dealt efficiently with the work, before the introduction of the new tariffs, when there was a rush of shipping on the river.

Needless to say, with the imposition of the new duties, they are, metaphorically, swept off their feet, and can but gaze blankly at the enormous consignments of dutiable goods which, despite their efforts, are accumulating rapidly in store-sheds and even on the quays. Further delay arises because they are, as yet, not quite clear as to the articles which are actually dutiable. "So far as the goods made up in packages are concerned," one of them remarked to our Correspondent, "who can deny that a caramel sweet, wrapped in its paper covering, is an article made up into a package?"



The Grace Harwar coming to anchor in Queenstown Harbour with a grain cargo.

UNPOPULAR TIMBER.

Timber continues to arrive fairly regularly in the Liffey, and, last week, the Thelma discharged a consignment of this cargo which she had loaded at Norway. Timber, owing to its lightness, is carried on deck as well as down the hold, and, for this reason, is unpopular with sailors. Should bad weather be encountered, there is always the anxiety that some of the wood may be washed overboard. It is also liable to shift, and, in consequence, it is no uncommon occurrence to see a timber-laden vessel arriving in port with a list.

The Busiris (438 tons register), of Glasgow, a modern type of small cargo vessel, built for Messrs. Hutchison, Ltd., three years ago at Troon, appeared in the Liffey on Monday with a cargo of wine from Cadiz and Oporto. From all accounts, Oporto is still quite a busy place, so far as shipping is concerned, despite the existing depression in trade. Not only has it, perhaps, the largest exportation of wine in Portugal and Spain, but it has other industries, including the spinning of cotton, wool and silk, as well as the manufacture of pottery, tobacco and paper.

American steamers continue to look with favour upon the Liffey, and last Thursday the City of Flint paid us a visit with part cargo from Baltimore, *via* Glasgow and Belfast. On Friday the Ardri (190 tons register) arrived with general cargo from Antwerp *via* Cork. At one time she was a familiar vessel in the river, as she was previously owned by the Dublin Gas Company, and was called the Coral. Other arrivals included the Orlock Head, of Belfast, with general cargo from Hamburg.

LOOKING ON.

The Misses Jackson, Kenny and Daly watching the races from their mounts at the Curragh yesterday.

WATCHING THE RACES.

Miss Berry, Countess McCormack and Miss McCormack photographed at the Curragh yesterday.

THE KING AND QUEEN AT THE THEATRE.

LADY DIANA COOPER CONGRATULATED.

The King and Queen last night saw "The Miracle," the play at the Lyceum Theatre. It was their first visit to the Lyceum since they came to the throne.

Mr. C. B. Cochran, who returned to London specially for the occasion, received the King and Queen and conducted them to a specially erected Royal Box.

When the King and Queen walked into the box the audience rose in silence, while the cathedral bell that heralds the beginning of the play rang out. There was a moment's pause, and then the King, wearing a white carnation in the buttonhole of his evening clothes, and the Queen, who wore a magnificent dress of gold *lamé*, sat down, and the play began.

In the interval the King sent for Lady Diana Cooper, who takes the part of the Madonna. Lady Diana and her mother, Violet Duchess of Rutland, were presented to Their Majesties, and the King congratulated Lady Diana.

RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL.

At the inaugural meeting of the Rutland Old Girls' Association, held at Rutland High School, Dublin, there was a large attendance, and the Association was started with a membership of between seventy and eighty.

Miss Stanton, the Headmistress, referring to the annual missionary sale of work, said that she was anxious that there should be no interference with the support always given to the Sale, but that she had been approached by several old girls about the formation of a definite association.

The following officers and members of the committee were then elected:—President, Miss Stanton; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Lake, Miss McNab, Miss Miller; Hon. Secretary, Miss N. Pearson; Hon. Treasurer, Miss I. Rutledge; committee, Miss J. Armstrong, Miss F. Craigie, Miss D. Kirkpatrick, Miss B. Petrie, Miss N. Speedy, and Miss E. Smyth.

Sir Robert Ho Tung, the Chinese multi-millionaire financier, has accepted the post of "First-Class Adviser" to the Chinese Government, says Reuter.

ON THE WIRELESS

A SPANISH PLAY.

AN English version of the Spanish play, "A Hundred Years Old," will be broadcast from the National Station tonight, commencing at 9.25. This play was written by Serafin and Joaquin Alvarez Quintero, and translated into English by Helen and Harley Granville Barker. It deals with the occasion of the celebration of a Spanish centenarian's birthday, and is rich in comedy and delicate sentiment. Helen and Harley Granville Barker have collaborated in the translation of a number of Spanish plays, including three others by the authors of "A Hundred Years Old." Mr. Granville Barker, who has been an actor and theatre manager, as well as an author, is a Fellow of the Royal Society of Literature, and also the Society's Professor of Dramatic Literature. Besides his plays he has published a number of works on the theatre, acting, and criticism.

The whole of Wagner's "The Rhinegold" will be relayed by the North Regional Station from the Royal Opera House, Covent Garden, at 8.25. If it is possible to judge by the names on the cast, this relay should be exceptionally good. Ludwig Hoffman will play Wotan, and Norman Allin Fafner, while Rispah Goodacre, Fritz Wolf and Edward Leer also figure in the list.

OTHER ATTRACTIONS.

DUBLIN.
9.0—"My Lady Help," a one-act Comedy.
10.15—Station Sextet, Schubert's Unfinished Symphony.

BELFAST.
9.30—An Orchestral Concert. 8.0—Vaudeville.

NORTH REGIONAL.
3.30—A Brass Band Concert. 7.40—A Relay from the Argyle Theatre, Birkenhead.

NATIONAL.
12.0—Quentin Maclean, organ. 10.50-12.0—Dance Music.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMMES.

DUBLIN (2 RN)—413 Metres.
1.30-2.0—Time, Stock Exchange List, Weather, and Concert.
6. 0—Concert.
6.15—Uair i dTir na nOg.
7. 0—Twenty minute Menues for Congress Week by Merry Lee.
7.10—Concert.
7.20—News.
7.30—Time. Gaelhilig.
7.45—German.
8. 0—The Dublin Postal Band.
9. 0—The Mummers: "My Lady Help," Comedy in one act, by Arthur Macklin.
9.30—Edith McKenna (mezzo-soprano).
9.40—Seamus MacAtamhasa (pib) and Frank O'Higgins (violin).
10. 0—Joseph O'Neill (tenor).
10.15—Station Sextet: Unfinished Symphony (Schubert).
10.30—Time, News, Weather, and close down.

BELFAST—242.3 Metres (1,238 Kc.).
10.15-10.30—The Daily Service.
12.0-3.25—Daventry National Programme.
3.30—An Orchestral Concert.
5. 0—Musical Interlude.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
5.55—Agricultural Market Prices for Northern Ireland.
6. 0—Daventry National Programme.
8. 0—Vaudeville.
9. 0—"The Second News."
9.15—Regional News.
9.20—Musings Without Method: A Spanish Play.
9.35-10.50—"A Hundred Years Ago."

NORTH REGIONAL—479.2 Metres (626 Kc.).
10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30-11.0—Daventry National Programme.
12. 0—The Midland Studio Orchestra.
2.0-3.0—The Northern Studio Orchestra.
3.30—A Brass Band Concert.
4.45—Daventry National Programme.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—First General News.
6.30—The Northern Studio Orchestra.
7.40—A Relay from the Argyle Theatre, Birkenhead.
8.25—Wagner's "The Rhinegold," from Covent Garden.
10.55-12.0—Daventry National Programme.

NATIONAL—1,554.4 Metres (193 Kc.).
10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Time, Shipping Forecast.
10.45-11.0—"The Family Bills on £3 a Week."
12. 0—Quentin Maclean (organ).
12.45—Gramaphone Records
1.30—Jack Martin and his Hotel Majestic Orchestra.
2.25—For the Schools.
3.30—A Brass Band Concert.
4.45—Reginald New (organ).
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—"The First News."
6.30—The Foundations of Music.
6.50—"The Cinema": Mr. Cedric Belfrage.
7. 5-7.25—Talk on Farming.
7.30—Mr. A. Lloyd-James: "What Speech Really Is."
8. 0—An Orchestral Concert.
9. 0—"The Second News."
9.15—Shipping Forecast, New York Stock Market Report.
9.20—Musings Without Method.
9.35—"A Hundred Years Old," a Spanish Play.
10.50-12.0—Dance Music.

AN IRISH DEBUTANTE.

LORD O'HAGAN'S DANCE.

From Our Correspondent.

LONDON, Tuesday.

One of London's Empire Day dances was a private one given for an Irish debutante of this season, Miss Helen Frances Alice Towneley-O'Hagan, daughter of the third Baron O'Hagan, and god-daughter of the late Duchess of Albany, from whom she takes her third Christian name, Alice. Miss O'Hagan is a grand-daughter of the first Baron O'Hagan, who was Lord Chancellor of Ireland. She was presented at the second Court by her father's sister, Lady (Charles) Monro.

For the dance Miss O'Hagan wore her Court gown of pearly-tinted satin, made simply, with long and graceful lines, and decorated with a big rose of pink satin at the back.

Lord O'Hagan gave the dance at his house, No. 16 Eaton square, to about two hundred guests, and before it took place he entertained eight of his daughter's friends to dinner. They were—Lady Katherine Howard, second daughter of the Duchess of Norfolk; the Hon. Bronwen Scott-Ellis, daughter of Lord and Lady Howard de Walden; the Hon. Mary Best, daughter of Lord and Lady Wynford; Miss Elizabeth Brodrick, daughter of the Hon. Arthur and Mrs. Brodrick; Captain Drummond-Moray, Mr. Michael Bouverie, Mr. James Holford, and Mr. Lewis Stucley.

Eleven dinners were given for the occasion by some of London's hostesses—The Countess of Mexborough, the Countess Buxton, Lady Violet Gregson, Lady Marjorie Erskine, Lady Margaret Nicholson, the Hon. Lady Morrison-Bell, the Hon. Mrs. Van Der Weyer, Lady Amherst of Hackney, Mrs. Clifton-Browne, Mrs. Fisher-Rowe and Mrs. St. John Hornby. Each took a party to the dance afterwards.

THE ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY.

WORK OF THE RADIUM COMMITTEE.

The Radium Committee of the Royal Dublin Society issued 16,756 millicuries of radon for medical purposes during the year 1931. This fact was disclosed in the Committee's annual report, read at the scientific meeting of the Royal Dublin Society yesterday.

The quantity of radon issued was smaller than during 1930, but larger than during the previous year. The decrease is chiefly attributable to the death, early in 1931, of Dr. Walter Stevenson, whose pioneer work on the use of radium undoubtedly caused the use of large quantities or radon.

The report contains details of the reports from some of the largest users, recording the treatment of 400 patients, of whom 322 were treated for malignant disease. In numerous cases highly satisfactory results were obtained.

Communications were made by Professor J. Bayley Butler, for Mr. J. Stuart Thompson, on "The Anatomy of the Tortoise"; by Mr. E. J. Sheehy, for Messrs. J. Lyons and G. T. Pyne, on "Factors Affecting the Body, or Viscosity of Cream," and by Professor F. E. Hackett, for Mr. W. E. Abraham, on "Contact Angles in an Oil-water Interface, and their application to free flotation in the Wevа Inclinometer." This apparatus was invented in Dublin by an Irishman for use in the oilfields of Burma, to record the magnetic attraction of the bore holes at depths of 2,000 to 4,000 feet.

THE PRINCE SEES MISS EARHART.

A CHAT ON FLYING.

Miss Earhart, the Atlantic flight heroine, was received by the Prince of Wales at York House yesterday.

The Prince sent a telephone message to the American Embassy, where Miss Earhart is staying, and Miss Earhart called at York House soon after luncheon.

The Prince received the airwoman in his private rooms. After shaking hands with her he warmly congratulated her on her achievement. The Prince remained in conversation with Miss Earhart for more than half an hour. The details of the journey and the difficulties Miss Earhart met with were of particular interest to the Prince, an experienced airman himself. Miss Earhart afterwards drove back to the American Embassy.

Miss Earhart, in an interview, said:—"We talked 'shop,' discussing aeroplanes and flying in general. The Prince is a very popular figure in the States, and we Americans have a great admiration for him. He was just as I expected to find him—charming and delightful."

SPECIAL AWARD BY PRESIDENT HOOVER.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.

Miss Amelia Earhart is to be awarded the American Distinguished Flying Cross by President Hoover, in recognition of her solo flight across the Atlantic. The Senate has passed a special bill to authorise the award.

LORD INCHCAPE TO BE BURIED IN SCOTLAND.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

NICE, Tuesday.

The body of Lord Inchcape, who died on board his yacht at Monte Carlo yesterday, will be taken to Glenapp Castle, in Ayrshire, for burial next Tuesday. There will also be a Memorial Service at St. Margaret's Church, London.

STAMPS OF THE WEEK.

LATVIA'S ARMY JUBILEE.

The Mint Stamp Company, 74 Grafton street, Dublin, send us the following new issues received since last week:—

CUBA—Air mail, 5c., violet, depicting an aeroplane over mountains. (Price 8d.)

LATVIA—10 years' Army Jubilee issue, each printed in two colours depicting various scenes. Values:—6 + 10s., 7 + 28s., 10 + 35c., 12 + 43c., 15 + 60s. Perforated. (Set of 5. Price 4s.)

Ditto, imperforated. (Set of 5. Price 4s.)

U.S.A.—2 cent, carmine, "Arbor Day" commemorative. (Price 2d.)

ELUSIVE STAMPS.

FRANCE—10c., red. First "Sower" type, issued 13th April, 1906. Figure standing on the earth (in second printings earth removed). S.G. 325. Catalogued 6d., unused; used, 3d.

DITTO—In the Empire issues, 1853-1870, the 20 centime stamps (blue) will be found with retouches, flaws and redrawn frame lines. The normal value of these stamps is one penny, whereas the varieties command prices in some cases running into pounds. The Republican 20 centime (blue) issue of 1870-73 was also retouched.

BLACKROCK COLLEGE SPORTS.

Despite intermittent showers, the success of the annual athletic sports at Blackrock College yesterday was in no way impaired. Several hundred visitors, along with the boys of the college, were the interested spectators of a programme of twenty-one athletic events.

A selection of music was played by the D.M.G. Band, under the direction of Mr. C. O'Donnell Sweeney, Mus.B., N.U.I., and tea was served in the Jubilee Theatre.

The Governor-General of the Free State, Mr. James MacNeill, and Mrs. MacNeill, attended by Captain Wall, A.D.C., arrived during the course of the afternoon. They were received by the Rev. Father Burke, C.S.Sp., who took the place of the President of the college, the Very Rev. J. C. McQuaid, C.S.Sp., M.A., D.D., who is at present recovering from a serious illness.

Amongst those present were—The German Minister, Herr Von Dehn; Dr. Walter Starkie, F.,T.C.D., and Mrs. Starkie; Dr. M. Walters and Mrs. Walters, General and Mrs. Eoin O'Duffy, Mr. T. Casey, President of the Blackrock College Union, and Mrs. Casey; Senator Surgeon H. L. Barniville, Dr. P. Kerley, Mr. M. A. Corrigan, Chief State Solicitor, and Mrs. Corrigan; Mr. T. J. Morrissey, M.A., LL.B.; Mr. Smithwick, barrister-at-law; Mr. P. J. Kenny, Mr. Eamon Fitzgerald, Dr. T. M. Ryan, Professor E. P. McLoughlin, M.D., F.R.U.I.; Mr. L. B. McMahon, Mr. R. J. Kenny, the Rev. Father Mellett, C.S.Sp.; the Rev. Father White, C.S.Sp.; the Rev. Father Finn, C.S.Sp., Inspector and Mrs. Hurley, and Mr. and Mrs. James McMahon.

The prizes were presented by the Rev. Father J. Burke, C.S.Sp.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.

At Evensong (three o'clock) on Friday the Rev. Louis Parkinson Hill, M.A., Rector of Zion Church, Rathgar, will be installed as Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Rev. Canon Pim, B.D.

BUDGET DEBATE IN DAIL.

(Continued from page 5, column 7.)

The world problem was to find employment. Yet the Minister said that they must be concerned not only with finding work for the unemployed, but to find better conditions for those in employment. Conditions, the Minister had said, must be improved to such an extent that the ordinary man would not be allowed to go into his own workshop and earn a better living.

The MINISTER here suggested that the speeches were for mere obstruction.

Mr. HOGAN (C. nG., Galway)—I think that is a most impudent statement, and I propose to make no reply to it.

Continuing, he said that they should concern themselves more with finding employment for idle men.

Mr. TRAYNOR (F.F., Dublin, N.)—That is what we are doing, and that is what you don't like.

CREATING UNEMPLOYMENT.

Mr. HOGAN—I suggest that the real problem is to get work for the unemployed, and you cannot get it unless the people who are working give value. Every time you do anything here in the way of protecting or sheltering trades, which makes it possible for people to give bad value, you are making more unemployment, and you know it. It was known perfectly well, he continued, that to allow goods to be produced in a condition where purchasers would have to pay more than the goods were really worth would, in the long run, make more unemployment.

The MINISTER said that about twenty or ten years ago it was the fashion for certain people to be continuously lecturing the Irish people about the honest and hard-working English men, the thrifty Frenchmen, and the lazy and dirty Irishmen. "I thought we had killed that type of rotten slavery during the past ten years, but the deputy here in this House has just been speaking in the way that some English planters and aristocracy would have spoken some years ago.

"Some day Deputy Hogan will say a good word about some fellow-Irishman, and then he will choke, and we will hear no more about him," said Mr. Lemass.

Mr. HOGAN—My remarks are not directed towards the Irish people, whom I know better than Deputy Lemass, but to Deputy Lemass and his colleagues, who are endeavouring to corrupt them.

Mr. DAVIN (Lab., Leix-Offaly) asked Mr. Hogan to give the reasons why he supported the original tariff of 33⅓ per cent. on furniture. He believed that the intention was to revive the industries that had existed here, and provide employment under decent conditions.

HIGH-GRADE FURNITURE.

Mr. McGILLIGAN (C. na nG., Nat. Univ.) said that with regard to "sweated" conditions they applied, where they existed, to low-grade types of furniture. The Irish manufacturers, under the old tariff, had captured this trade, and they had captured the middle grade trade up to 50 per cent. It was in the higher grade trades the old tariff had proved ineffective, and that furniture was not produced under "sweated" conditions. When allegations of "sweated" conditions were made to the old Government a detailed examination was made, and it was found that none of the premises in which furniture was made here, or the conditions under which it was made, offended against the Factory Act. The manufacturers' committees were invited to suggest amendments to the existing legislation if they did not consider it sufficiently rigid, but they did not do so, nor had the trade union movement made trouble for any manufacturer on the ground that he was paying too low wages.

Mr. J. J. BYRNE (C. na nG., N. Dublin) said that he wondered had the Minister any idea that the people engaged in the furniture trade had a very grave objection to the way in which furniture had been coming in, even under the 33⅓ per cent. duty. He had been informed by respectable firms that if they were prepared to stoop to a certain low procedure with regard to the declaration of the value of the goods imported they would be in a position to sell much cheaper than their competitors. There was not a single thing in this bill that would prevent furniture coming in in the future, as it had done in the past, at a declared value much below its real value. They wanted men on the job at the Customs who understood the value of goods coming in at the ports.

MOTION PASSED.

The MINISTER said that Mr. McGilligan had wrong information in regard to the bulk of furniture imported. The bulk of furniture imported was of the low-grade type, and it was to secure a market for that type that the duty was imposed.

Mr. McGILLIGAN (C. na nG., Nat. Univ.) said that he had not yet got an answer to his question—What were the abnormal importations that led to the making of this order?

The MINISTER said that he was not in a position to say.

The motion was carried by 70 votes against 54.

COCOA PREPARATIONS.

IMPORTATIONS VALUED AT £300,000.

The MINISTER for INDUSTRY and COMMERCE moved the motion for approval, with modifications, of the Customs Duties (Cocoa Preparations) (Provisional Variation) Order. He said that the duty which had been imposed was a prohibitive one, and applied to cocoa preparations, such as chocolate, confectionery and other things of that kind. There was a number of firms engaged in the production of these goods in this country, and it was considered that they were a class of goods which were all capable of being produced here. The importation of such confectionery last year was valued at almost £300,000, and very additional employment could be afforded by the addition of this duty.

THE MAKING OF CHOCOLATES.

Mr. McGILLIGAN (C. na nG., N.U.I.) asked if the Minister would give evidence of abnormal importations. He thought that the chocolate industry was the least satisfactory of all the industries tariffed. The home manufacturer had captured most of the trade in the lower grade, but in the higher grade chocolates they did not appear to shine. He did not understand why good chocolates could not be made in the country. The main manufacturers had been given every benefit under the Trade Loan Act and the old tariff, but they had not yet seemed able to cope with the demand for the higher grade trade. One of the directors of that firm had received compensation from the Distressed Loyalists' Fund, and, incidentally, he was a director of the *Irish Press*.

Mr. LEMASS objected, and said that the remarks of Mr. McGilligan were a low, mean, scurrilous attack.

The DEPUTY SPEAKER said that there should be no indication given as to who the person was, and the House should not be used for making charges.

Mr. McGILLIGAN said that he did not make any attack, but he mentioned the advantages that the people had, and yet they were unable to make chocolates that would sell in competition with those that came from outside. Why was that so? There had been no suggestion of sweated conditions in the industry in other countries, but only intangible matters put up from time to time, such as the question of the consumers preference which any consumer was entitled to have. He did not know what case there was for increasing the duty from something above 6½d. to 5s. He asked the Minister to give some indication of the abnormal dumping that either took place or was about to take place and was prevented.

MINISTER SATISFIED.

The MINISTER said that he was satisfied that abnormal importations had taken place and would have taken place had the order not been made. He made representations to the Executive Council to that effect and the order was made. Not merely, he added, was it true that grade for grade the Irish chocolate was much better than the imported article, but in connection with one world famous line, an Irish firm was competing and beating out of the market on quality and quantity alone the products of a foreign firm. Owing to the nature of the duty imposed by the previous legislation Irish firms had not been able to establish themselves in the market in the higher grades to the same extent as they had been in the cheaper lines, but they were doing it now. But because of habit and long association and more favourable terms in the trade, the demand was for the product of some particular firms, and the Irish firms were not given the orders to enable them to specialise in that line. They were doing it now, and additional plant and equipment was being installed, and the home factories would be fitted with the most modern machinery to enable that production to proceed.

It seemed to him that the essential question was, were they competent, and should they really try to supply their own requirements in chocolates, and should they, if necessary, do without certain well advertised brands in order that the Irish firms could get into the business. It was difficult to see how anybody could say that the order should not be imposed. No hardship was imposed on anyone; there would be no increase in the cost of living; additional employment would be given, and there could be no question of the competency of the Irish firms to supply the quality and quantity required by the country.

A motion for the approval of the Customs duties (with modification) on sugar confectionery was passed.

The House gave first reading to the Finance (Customs) (No. 2) Bill.

WORK ON THE ROADS.

THE ALLOCATION OF THE MONEY.

The MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT, replying to Mr. T. J. Murphy (Lab., Cork W.), in the Dail yesterday, said that the grant of £1,000,000 for work on roads would be allocated on the basis of the extent of unemployment throughout the Free State. Steps have been taken to ensure that reliable unemployment returns would be available, and facilities would be provided to applicants by the Minister for Industry and Commerce to register at the Exchanges, and, where necessary, through the Post Offices, sub Post Offices, and Civic Guard stations. When the figures were obtained in a week's time his department would consider schemes appropriate for each locality.

The MINISTER FOR LANDS AND FISHERIES, in reply to Mr. F. Lynch (C. na G., Kerry) said that the appointment of two inspectors to make a survey of the existing industrial activities in the Gaeltacht, and to advise on these industries, and on the possibility of further industrial development in the Gaeltacht, was under consideration. Any inspectors appointed would have the necessary qualifications for their task. The remuneration proposed for these services would be at the rate of £35 per month.

A YEAR'S CUSTOMS DUTY.

The MINISTER FOR FINANCE, replying to Mr. Mulcahy (C. na G., Dublin, N.) said that the total amount of Customs duty paid for the year ended 31st December, 1931, on specific articles was £1,211,540.

The tabulated reply was as follows:—

	Value of Imports for Year ended Dec., 1931. £	Amount of Customs Duty Paid. £
Household Furniture and Equipment	600,100	52,600
Builders' Material	960,600	—
Printing, Stationery, etc	715,200	1,070
Household Utensils	107,800	20
Materials for Decoration	321,400	50
Clothing	571,700	62,600
Food	843,400	160,800
Farm Requisites	999,100	—
Soaps, Disinfectants, etc	166,200	17,400
Clothing and Materials therefor	6,095,300	917,000
Miscellaneous	443,900	—

The MINISTER for FINANCE, replying to Mr. E. Blythe (C. na nG., Monaghan), said that he was not aware that duty was being charged on single bound books imported separately, but, in order to prevent any possible misinterpretation of the scope of the resolution, the Revenue Commissioners had issued further explicit instructions to the Customs staffs.

Mr. H. M. DOCKRELL (Ind., Dublin County), asked if a book of wallpaper patterns would be dutiable.

The MINISTER said that he would require notice of the question.

WIRELESS APPARATUS.

The MINISTER for FINANCE, replying to Mr. W. Desmond (C. na nG., Cork), said that he was not aware that there was a lack of uniformity of charging duty on substantial assemblies of component parts of wireless telegraphy apparatus. Loud speakers were assessed at the higher rate of duty on the ground that they were substantially assemblies of component parts of apparatus for reception of wireless messages.

The MINISTER for FINANCE, replying to Mr. Dockrell (Ind, Dublin County), said that duty receipts on wireless sets and parts imported into the Free State had been credited to the general account of the Exchequer and had not been appropriated in aid of the broadcasting service. There was no reason for fixing an Imperial preference rate of duty.

The MINISTER for FINANCE, replying to Mr. Blythe (C. na nG., Monaghan), said that the increases in the staff of the Revenue Commissioners, which had been sanctioned since 9th March last in consequence of additional work arising from recently imposed customs duties, were nineteen officers of Customs and Excise, forty-eight clerical officers, ten writing assistants, two shorthand typists, ten typists, three cleaners, and the approximate annual cost of these increases would be £19,000.

UNEMPLOYED TRADESMEN IN DUBLIN.

The MINISTER for INDUSTRY and COMMERCE, in reply to Mr. J. Good (Ind., Dublin County) gave the following details concerning unemployment in the following trades in Dublin City and County:—

	Apl. 7, 1930.	Apl. 7, 1931.	Apl. 4, 1932.
Bricklayers	72	121	88
Carpenters	231	395	359
Plasterers	53	140	159
Painters	175	213	198
Stonecutters and masons	20	30	39
Plumbers	42	77	105
Builders' labourers	558	585	1,113

BUTTER PRICES.

The MINISTER for AGRICULTURE, replying to Mr. T. J. O'Donovan (Farmers, Cork, W.), said that no instructions had been issued by his Department to butter merchants in respect of the prices to be paid for home produced butter as a result of the Dairy Produce (Price Stabilisation) Bill, 1932.

Mr. O'Donovan pointed out that certain buyers had reduced the price offered by 2d., and the Minister replied that he was unable to direct butter buyers as to what price they would pay.

Mr. O'DONOVAN then asked would the Minister undertake to educate the butter buyers as to the objects of his bill.

There was no reply from the Minister.

Belfast Boundary Extension.

Proposal Opposed.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

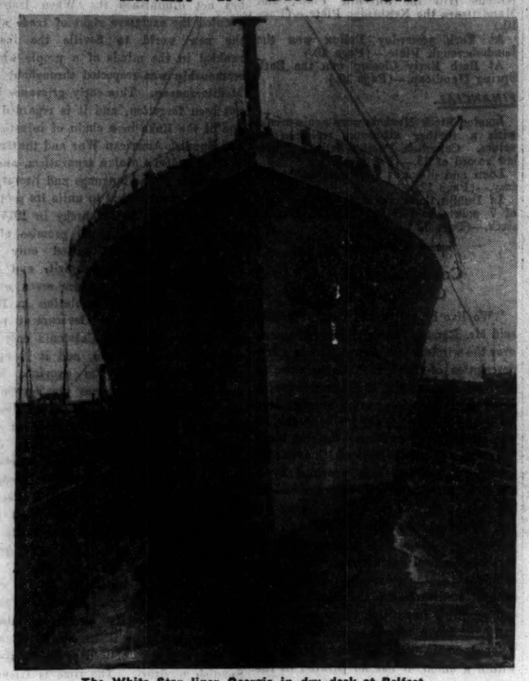
It is thirty-six years since the Belfast City Boundary was extended. Now a movement has been initiated for extending the boundary beyond its present limits. The project, however, is not favoured by many leading members of the Belfast Corporation in the present period of financial stringency. Alderman Macartney, the oldest member of the Corporation, who has had considerable experience of municipal affairs, is opposed to any extension at present. He declares that the Corporation is only now finishing the payment for the cost of its last expansion. It required a long time for an added area to become a source of revenue to the Corporation, which must undertake considerable preliminary outlay.

Alderman James A. Duff, chairman of the Finance Committee, also advises caution in the matter, and considers that benefit of any extension would be very doubtful.

Other members of local bodies are of the opinion that the time is not opportune for an extension of the city boundary in view of the many demands upon the city finances, at present, in connection with the unemployed and distress relief. On the other hand, some members hold that an extension is long overdue, and that an extension would provide much needed employment.

Price of Pigs.—At Callan, County Kilkenny, 51s. per cwt. was the price paid for fat pigs, a decrease of 7s. The price of pigs in Bantry was 60s. per cwt.

LINER IN DRY DOCK.



The White Star liner Georgic in dry dock at Belfast.

The Annuities Problem.

County Wicklow's "Waste Spaces."

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WICKLOW, Tuesday.

THE secretary directed the attention of Wicklow County Council to the terms of a communication from the Department notifying the Council of the withholding of huge sums to be retained by the Government to meet unpaid annuities in the county. He said that the total amounted to £5,717, as compared with £1,200 last year.

Mr. J. Everett, T.D., asked for the list of defaulters to enable the members to judge for themselves between those who could not pay and those who deliberately refrained from paying because of the change of Government.

Mr. J. J. Metcalfe instanced a farm of £65 valuation on which for four years neither rates nor annuities had been paid, and the owners of which had made no effort to meet their liabilities, with the result that this double charge came upon the ordinary honourable ratepayer. He held that in such a serious matter drastic steps against such a practice would have to be adopted.

Mr. Everett said that there were waste spaces and commons left derelict while grants were stopped on account of them for annuities. The rate collectors had suggested that the Government should take those commons over for afforestation purposes, so as to give employment, and remove the loss of rates and annuities.

On the motion of Mr. J. P. O'Donnell, seconded by Mr. T. Mulcahy, a resolution was adopted repudiating the liability of the Council for the annuities or loss of grants due to unpaid annuities, and calling on the Free State Government immediately to amend the law so as to afford ratepayers the relief to which they believed they were entitled.

Woman Killed in Road Accident.

Motor Lorry Driver for Trial.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONGFORD, Tuesday.

AT a special court which was held in Longford to-day, a young man, Con Farrelly, of Oldcastle, was sent for trial to the Longford Circuit Court on bail of £200 and two sureties of £100 each, charged with the manslaughter of Mrs. Catherine Clarke, of Tubber, Granard, on May 16.

Mrs. Margaret Kiernan, replying to Mr. T. W. Delany, State Solicitor, stated that on May 16, when she was driving home from the market of Granard in her horse trap she gave a "lift" to Mrs. Catherine Clarke. Witness saw a motor lorry approaching from behind. There was no horn blown. When the lorry came up to the trap there was a crash, and witness was thrown out of the trap. She saw Mrs. Clarke lying on the road and the motor lorry a few yards ahead.

Patrick Gilleran stated that he was travelling on the lorry driven by the accused man, when he saw a trap as they passed. He then heard a sound. The front of the lorry did not strike the trap. He saw a woman scrambling out of the trap, and another woman lying on the road when he looked out of the lorry. He then told the driver to stop.

Mr. Delany read portions of the statement made to the Guards, which the witness admitted. In his evidence he said that the left wheel of the lorry was on the centre of the road and the right wheel on the grass margin at the point of the accident.

Mr. Delany asked him did he say in his original statement that the two wheels were on the road. Witness said that was correct.

District Justice Kenny—Are you a relation of Con Farrelly's?—No, sir.

The Justice—If you think you are acting as his friend you are making a mistake. Do you fully realise that you are on your oath?—Yes, sir.

The accused man was sent for trial, as stated.

Girl's Throat Cut.

Seven Years' Penal Servitude For Assailant.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WICKLOW, Tuesday.

At Wicklow Circuit Court James Byrne (24), labourer, Shillelagh, was charged with wounding Susan Brennan (16), a domestic servant, at Carnew on March 28th, by cutting her throat with a razor with intent to do her grievous bodily harm; and on a second count with assault.

Mr. Roe, barrister-at-law, pleading for leniency for the accused man, said that the circumstances were peculiar and unusual. It was suggested that the prisoner was insane, and had acted queerly the night prior to the attack. In the past two years accused man and Miss Brennan had been more than ordinarily friendly.

Mr. A. B. Cullen, State Solicitor, said that the State pressed for a severe penalty in view of a previous conviction of a serious character.

Judge Devitt said that there could be no doubt as to the man's intentions against the girl, and he was compelled to listen to what Mr. Cullen had said in view of the seriousness of both charges, and the least sentence he could impose was one of seven years' penal servitude for maiming and of five years for assault, both sentences to run concurrently.

Meath Hunt Incident.

Groom Fined for Kicking Horse.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

DUNSHAUGHLIN, Tuesday.

TO-DAY, at Dunshaughlin Monthly District Sessions, a case was heard arising out of an incident at a meeting of the Meath Hunt on April 1 last in the vicinity of Parsonstown, when a groom in the employment of Mrs. Connell, Joint Master of the Meath Hounds, was prosecuted by Superintendent J. G. Kelly, Navan, for cruelly kicking a horse.

Mr. T. K. Laidlaw, of Clonsilla, happened to be motoring by at the time and got out to intervene.

Mr. E. Noonan, solicitor, appeared for the defendant, who, it was stated by his solicitor, was dismissed from his employment four days later in consequence of the incident.

Mr. Laidlaw, in reply to Superintendent Kelly, said that he was driving from Dunshaughlin to Batterstown on April 1, and on the road at McKeever's gate there were a number of horses, there being a hunt meeting. He noticed the defendant Smith rushing at one of the horses and giving the animal a very vicious kick in the ribs.

Witness told Mrs. Connell what had happened, and she said that she had dispensed with the groom's services.

Smith, the defendant, said that he was a groom. He was holding the horse by the head and the horse caught him by the arm. He had no whip or stick and he gave the horse two kicks on the side of the legs. The kicks would not hurt much.

The Justice said that the prosecution reflected the very greatest credit on Mr. Laidlaw, who was one of the best known sportsmen in Ireland. He (the Justice) was not born up in the moon, and he had ridden horses and hunted with them, and had been bitten by a horse. He did not know of anything more calculated to make a man lose his temper than to be nipped by a horse. Defendant had been in Captain Fowler's employment for almost four years, and that was not a bad record. He (the Justice) was impressed by the defendant's admission and the evidence of his *confrère*. He would convict defendant and fine him £1.

Mr. Noonan appealed for a mitigation of the fine, urging that the defendant had been sufficiently punished.

The Justice reduced the fine to 10s. and allowed a month to pay.

Mayor of Waterford Taken to Task.

Ex-Free State Army Men's Protest.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WATERFORD, Tuesday.

THE action of the Mayor of Waterford (Alderman William Jones) in cancelling the use of the Committee Room in the Town Hall for their meeting last night was strongly commented on at a meeting of the Free State Army Comrades' Association, which was subsequently held in the premises, No. 2 Adelphi quay.

Mr. C. S. Quinlan, solicitor, said that he thought the meeting should bring to the notice of the citizens of Waterford the treatment the Association, through its secretary, had received at the hands of the Mayor. Apparently, said Mr. Quinlan, the Mayor has forgotten that he is not the Mayor of a party, but the Mayor of the city, and that every citizen, or body of citizens, who had complied, as the Association had done, with the Corporation's own regulation were entitled to the use of the Committee Room.

He proposed the following resolution, copies to be sent to the Corporation and the Press:—

"That the Waterford Branch of the Army Comrades' Association desire to call the attention of the Waterford Corporation and the citizens of Waterford to the cancelling of the letting of the Committee Room to our Association, which letting was arranged over three weeks prior to this date, and we request the Corporation, in the interests of justice and fair play, to make regulations to prevent a repetition of the abuse of power which the Association has experienced from the Mayor."

Lieutenant Kelly seconded the resolution.

Colonel J. Ryan, representing the National Executive of the Association, said that the present Government, since its inception, had done everything possible to penalise members of the Free State Army by withdrawing the preference hitherto accorded them in public contracts. He was glad to inform the meeting that employers all over the country had decided to utilise the services of ex-members of the Free State Army when suitably qualified. In this connection, he desired to pay special tribute to Mr. John Hearne, builder, South parade, Waterford, who already had taken on several members of the Association as employés in his work in County Tipperary. If every ex-Free State Army man in Waterford joined the Association, no political party would dare trample on their rights.

Colonel Ryan added that he had heard the venue of the meeting had been changed; but, notwithstanding the opposition experienced, they were successful in beating those people, as they did in 1922.

In putting the resolution, Dr. V. J. White, who presided, expressed astonishment at the action of the Mayor in disregarding all precedents in his attempt to stifle the successful meeting that he had the honour to preside over.

The resolution was carried unanimously.

The Eucharistic Congress.—Newry Urban Council at its meeting unanimously decided to accede to the request of a deputation, headed by the Very Rev. J. Magee, Adm., seeking permission to decorate the town in connection with the Eucharistic Congress.

Lord Belmore's Concern For Donegal.

Outburst at Fermanagh Meeting.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ENNISKILLEN, Tuesday.

At the meeting of the Fermanagh Farming Society to-day, Lord Belmore referred to "the desertion of County Donegal by the Ulster Unionist Party." The discussion arose out of the question of engaging the band of the Royal Inniskillings for the forthcoming show to be held in conjunction with the Enniskillen Shopping Week. The Society discussed the proposal, and when Mr. Fred Dewane mentioned the words "Ulster goods" the Earl of Belmore asked did Mr. Dewane mean "Ulster" or "Northern Ireland" goods.

Mr. Dewane—You and I, my lord, have differed frequently on the subject of geography.

Lord Belmore—This is not a matter of geography; it is a matter of right and wrong. Ulster includes County Donegal.

Mr. Dewane—We have the Royal Ulster Rifles.

Lord Belmore—A modern innovation. A name given by some buffoons and silly asses in Belfast. The proper name of the regiment is the Royal Irish Rifles.

Mr. Dewane—No; the Royal Ulster Rifles.

Lord Belmore—It is a shame County Donegal was given away by these scamps, low-class tinkers and traitors in Belfast.

The matter dropped.

Refusal to Enter Courthouse.

Lord Mayor of Cork and City Sheriff.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

COBH, Tuesday Night.

A CURIOUS situation which arises out of the Lord Mayor's refusal to enter Cork Courthouse was discussed to-night at a meeting of the Corporation. A few weeks ago the City Sheriff, Mr. Francis Hanrahan, refused students of University College permission to use the courthouse for the holding of a mock trial at their annual "rag." The proceeds of the "rag" were in aid of the Lord Mayor's Fund in aid of the poor of the city.

The Lord Mayor (Mr. F. J. Daly) stated that he considered the City Sheriff's attitude a reflection on his position. Accordingly he announced his intenton of not entering the courthouse again, though the Corporation meetings be held there.

The Lord Mayor was not present at to-night's discussion, and the chair was taken by Alderman Frank Daly.

Alderman Allen moved the following notion: "The previous decision appointing the courthouse for the monthly meetings of the Council be rescinded, and, pending the erection of the municipal buildings, that such meetings be held in the School of Art."

He said that he did so with regret, but the Lord Mayor had been insulted and ignored. In respect to him they should decide to hold their future meetings in the School of Art.

Mr. P. Spillane seconded.

Mr. Cronin moved a direct negative, and Mr. Gamble, seconding this, said that he did not mind where the Corporation held their meetings, but if the Lord Mayor had wanted the courthouse open on that day he should have applied to the Sheriff, who had control of the building.

Mr. Hill regretted that some members of the Corporation had assigned to themselves the duty of saying where meetings were to be held. Some months ago it had been decided to meet here in order to give the public an opportunity of attending. Now it seemed they had to go back again to the School of Art.

The motion, on being put to the vote, was carried by twelve votes to two.

The Late Mrs. Kathleen Lakin.

Memorial Ward in Wexford Hospital.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WEXFORD, Tuesday.

The Wexford hunting accident of February, 1930, in which Mrs. Kathleen Lakin sustained fatal injuries while participating in a run with the Wexford Hounds, of which her husband, Major M. L. Lakin, D.S.O., is the Master for several seasons, has been recalled by the opening of a maternity wing in the County Hospital, Wexford. The wing will be known as the "Kathleen Lakin Memorial Ward." The entire cost has been borne by followers of the Wexford Hunt.

At the opening ceremony, which was performed by Lady Maurice FitzGerald, Johnstown Castle, mother of the late Mrs. Lakin, there was a large attendance of followers of the Wexford Hunt, also members and officials of the Wexford County Health Board.

Mr. T. A. Colfer, solicitor, honorary secretary of the Wexford Hunt, on behalf of the Hunt Committee, formally handed over the memorial ward to Mr. M. J. Jordan, Chairman of the County Health Board.

A silver key, suitably inscribed, and surmounted by a Celtic cross, was presented to Lady Maurice FitzGerald.

Prominently placed in the wing is a marble tablet, on which, in gilt lettering, is inscribed:—

"THE KATHLEEN LAKIN WARD.
In memory of
Kathleen Lakin,
Died 23rd February, 1930,
From injuries received in the hunting field."

TRINITY COLLEGE SCHOLARS.

FIRST ANNUAL DINNER.

A dinner for the Scholars of Trinity College was held at the Shelbourne Hotel on Trinity Monday (23rd May), at 7.30 p.m. There were present:—W. F. Starkie, Litt.D., F.,T.C.D. (in the chair); the Rev. C. B. Armstrong, M.A., B.D.; the Rev. William Anderson, M.A.; John Bennett, M.A.; S. J. Willis, Ph.D.; Miss Ruth Patten, M.Sc.; Miss E. G. Keller, LL.D.; Messrs J. J. Auchmuty, M. A. Ellison, T. D. W. Whitfield, T. E. Pigot, G. H. J. Burrows, W. D. Carey, B. Harrison, J. O. Wisdom, A. R. Conan, T. N. Richardson, W. E. Calcutt, J. C. Donnelly, V. J. P. Mealiv, W. Warnock, W. D. Greene, J. W. Wellwood, the Misses Joyce MacDonagh, J. Otway Ruthven, E. J. Power-Steele, E. S. M. Bradfield, M. F. Coe, F. E. Cunningham, M. E. J. Elmes, E. Montgomery, M. Gore-Grimes, B. Gregg, M. P. McEvett, B. Travers, Joyce Hill.

COLLEGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

A meeting of the College Historical Society will be held at 8 o'clock tonight, when the motion, "That the State should allow complete freedom of speech," will be debated. The list of speakers includes Mr. M. Farrell, Mr. E. H. Gwynn (Sch.), Mr. J. S. Alcorn, and Mr. J. M. Beaumont (Sch.). The chair will be taken by Mr. Lennox Robinson.

ENTRIES FOR TAILTEANN GAMES.

Owing to the number of overseas inquiries, the closing date for entries in the Music Section of the Tailteann Games has been extended to Saturday, 28th inst. This is also the last date of entry for the arts and crafts exhibition. Entries should be sent to 60 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF.

A Remarkable Cow.—A cow belonging to a Westmeath farmer has produced five calves in twenty months—one single and two sets of twins.

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Master General of the Dominicans.—Most Rev. Stanislaus Martin Gillet, O.P., Master General of the Dominican Order, who has come to Ireland for the Eucharistic Congress, paid an official visit to Drogheda yesterday. He will remain in the Drogheda House of the Order until this evening. This morning he will celebrate Mass at 8.30 a.m. in the Chapel of the Siena Convent.

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Central Purchasing.—At the meeting of the Cork Corporation a letter was received from Dundalk Urban district Council urging that the Free State Department of Local Government should be urged to have the Central Purchasing Scheme abolished. The letter stated that the scheme militated against local traders, and had failed in its object. Dr. J. C. Foley said that, as a member of the Advisory Board to the scheme, he could say something about it. The scheme saved the public purse considerable sums, and had rightly been regarded as one of the best pieces of legislation of the last Government. It was decided to mark the letter "read."

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Galway Harbour Scheme. — The Galway Harbour development scheme reached a further stage at the meeting of the Harbour Board yesterday, Mr. E. K. Jackson presiding, when Mr. T. J. W. Kenny moved, in accordance with notice: "That, as the Harbour Development Committee are precluded from introducing the necessary bill authorising the proposed harbour improvements until October next, and as it is desirable to facilitate by having as much of the preliminary work as possible completed then, that the Harbour Commissioners, at their meeting on June 7th, consider tenders for making the necessary borings to ascertain the nature of the material to be dealt with in the proposed channels." The motion was passed unanimously.

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Funeral of Derry Journalist.—The funeral of Mr. P. L. Malone, Derry, which took place to the City Cemetery yesterday, was representative of the business and professional life of the city. The late Mr. Malone, who was a native of Westmeath, joined the staff of the *Derry Journal* as a young man, and on the death of the editor, Mr. William Ro dy, in 1915, he was appointed to that position, which he held until his retirement in 1924. The attendance at the funeral included Mr. J. J. McCarroll, M.P., managing editor, *Derry Journal*; Mr. W. J. Campbell, local manager, *Belfast Telegraph*; Mr. C. D. Milligan, editor, *Derry Sentinel*; Mr. T. Parke, chief reporter, *Derry Standard*, and Mr. R. A. Parke, editor, *Tyrone Constitution*.

New Chairman.—The Rev. P. J. Higgins, P.P., Bohola, has been appointed Chairman of the re-formed Mayo Mental Hospital Committee.

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Penal Servitude. — At Donegal Criminal Sessions, which were held in Letterkenny yesterday, before Judge Moonan, a young man, Thomas Devlin, a native of Derry, pleaded guilty to breaking into Derrybeg Catholic Church and rifling the offertory box; also to breaking into the premises of Francis Molloy, of Derrybeg, and stealing various articles and damaging the safe. Passing sentence of three years' penal servitude, the Judge said that the accused man first broke the law thirteen years ago.

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Isolated Islanders.—The islanders of Cape Clear, where Irish is exclusively spoken, held a meeting, at which the Rev. Father Rice, C.C., presided, for the purpose of putting forward representations to secure the advantages at the disposal of Gaeltacht areas. It was stated that the island had no dispensary, no doctor, no telegraphs, no telephones, and in the case of sudden illness a boat had to cross eight miles to the mainland, where a motor had to be taken to Skibbereen, eight miles away, for medical aid. It was decided to put the claims before the Free State Minister for Fisheries.

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War Graves.—A number of headstones are shortly to be erected in Cork City and County over the graves of Irish soldiers who died in this country as a result of wounds received during the Great War. 115 headstones will be placed in various city graveyards, and, of this number, 75 are to be erected in the Military Cemetery. The scheme is being carried out by the Imperial War Graves Commission, in conjunction with the Free State Board of Works. It is estimated that about 500 soldiers are buried in this county, and the work of providing headstones for their graves has been proceeding for some years.

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Conditions in County Galway. — Mr. M. Heneghan, Superintendent Assistance Officer for County Galway, at the monthly meeting of the County Homes Committee, which was held in Loughrea, in his report stated that the general economic conditions in the county were much worse than in the corresponding period last year. The average weekly cost of home assistance during the month of April was £26 higher than in April, 1931. This extra expenditure was mainly due to unemployment in Ballinasloe, Portumna and Clifden districts. There was a large number of able-bodied married men in receipt of home assistance, as they could not get any employment. "They state," added the report, "that the farmers who employed some of them in past years are now unable to hire labour, and they get no work on the public roads."

Keeping Empire Day.

Celebrations in the North.

At Portora Royal School, Enniskillen, Empire Day was celebrated by a parade and march-past of the Officers' Training Corps. Eighty cadets were on parade, under Captain G. V. Butler, and the salute was taken by Mr. John Collum, B.A.M.L. In the march-past the O.T.C. was headed by the pipe band, in their handsome saffron kilts. Mr. Collum also inspected the Portora Scouts, numbering about 40.

There was a large attendance of the pupils and their friends in the grounds of Campbell College, Belfast.

The O.T.C. paraded in uniform. The Union Jack presented to Campbell College many years ago by Geelong College, was again unfurled, amid a scene of great enthusiasm.

In accordance with the custom of the College a tree was planted by Mr. R. Watts, M.C., to commemorate Empire Day.

The Headmaster and staffs of the senior and preparatory schools were present.

Belfast's Call for Alteration in the Law.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

For some time members of the Belfast Corporation have been considering the desirability of having the law in regard to criminal injuries altered. The Finance Committee of the Corporation has passed the following resolution on the subject:—

"We are of opinion that the law relating to criminal injuries in Northern Ireland, which places upon the ratepayers the liability for the acts of evilly-disposed individuals, is unduly oppressive to local authorities, and that the Belfast Corporation should request the Government of Northern Ireland to introduce a measure for the amendment of the law, so as to bring it into line with that in force in Great Britain, under which such liability for criminal injuries only arises in the case of riot or civil commotion."

D.W.D. THE REAL OLD IRISH POT STILL. 15 YEARS OLD.—(Advt.)

UTILITY SOCIETY'S UNDERTAKING.

VENTURE BY UNEMPLOYED SKILLED WORKERS.

The former employés of Messrs. Henshaw, Clonskeagh, Dublin, have organised a Co-operative Utility Society, and entered into an undertaking with the former owners of the firm's plant to reopen the works and to produce shovels, spades and other agricultural implements.

Mr. John Thompson, Secretary of the Clonskeagh Co-operative Utility Society, describes this venture as "a unique demonstration of the spirit of self-reliance by unemployed skilled workers," and he announced that a meeting, in furtherance of the project, is to be held at the Mansion House, to-morrow (Thursday), at which the Lord Mayor will preside.

The Minister for Industry and Commerce has promised the support of his Department.

Judge on Anonymous Letters.

Six Months' Imprisonment for Girl.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

GALWAY, Tuesday.

The practice of sending anonymous and abominably filthy letters through the post seems to have an extraordinary hold on a certain section of the people in County Galway, said Judge Wyse Power, at the Galway Circuit Court to-day, when he sentenced a girl to six months' imprisonment.

The accused, Delia Lyden, of Market street, Clifden, was charged with sending defamatory letters to Celia King, of Market street, Clifden. She was arrested with her mother on April 6th last, but the charge against the mother was withdrawn.

In sentencing the girl, the Judge said that in every circuit in Galway he had to deal with this class of crime. He had been adjudicating for eight years in another big county, Mayo, and there never was any such case. He was determined to put down this practice of persons sending anonymous letters couched in filthy language. Its prevalence in the County of Galway was such that he felt he must pass an exemplary sentence. He sentenced the accused girl to six months' imprisonment, to date from April 6 last.

LOST
14 Pounds of Fat

Finder Is Welcome To Have It —I'm Mighty Glad To Get Rid of it

Some folks are naturally fat, but there's a lot of people who put on pounds of unhealthy fat because they haven't got enough energy to move about to keep it off.

It's not laziness in most cases—but a condition brought about by sluggishness of the internal organs—the liver, bowels, and kidneys. As a result, poisons and harmful acids that kill vigour, ambition, and energy get into the blood—the whole general tone of the body is lowered and fat accumulates.

Thousands of overstout men and women find in Kruschen Salts a far better means of reducing than by taking drugs.

The little daily dose of Kruschen Salts keeps the organs functioning properly every day, and fills you with such a feeling of radiant vitality and vigour that before you know it you are fairly "jumping out of your skin" with energy instead of moping around—and reduction follows as a matter of course.

READ THIS LETTER:—"*My chief reason for using Kruschen Salts was to reduce my weight. I am only 5ft. 4in. in height, and weighed 12st. 8lb. My present weight is 11st. 8lb. During the first week I took the full dose of one teaspoonful every morning. Since then I have taken just a small quantity in my morning cup of tea. To-day I have purchased a second bottle of Kruschen (1/9), as I am very satisfied with the results of the first.*"—*Mrs. B. K., London, S.W.*

A jar of Kruschen Salts that will last four weeks costs but 1/9—take a generous half-teaspoonful in a glass of hot water every morning.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.
THE DUBLIN OPERATIC SOCIETY
To-night and Fri. and Sat. Evgs. at 8,
CARMEN.
To-morrow (Thurs.) at 8, and Sat. Mat. at 2.30,
L'ELISIR D'AMORE.
USUAL PRICES. NOW BOOKING.

MONDAY NEXT, FOR THREE WEEKS,
D'OYLY CARTE OPERA CO.
in GILBERT AND SULLIVAN OPERAS.
FIRST WEEK—Mon. and Sat. Evgs., "The Gondoliers." Tues Evg. and Sat. Mat., "The Mikado." Wed. Evg., "Ruddigore." Thurs. Evg., "The Yeomen of the Guard." Fri. Evg., "Cox and Box" followed by "The Pirates of Penzance."
SECOND WEEK—Mon. and Thurs. Evgs., "The Mikado." Tues., "Cox and Box," followed by "H.M.S. Pinafore." Wed., "The Gondoliers." Sat. Mat. and Sat. Evg., "Ruddigore." Fri. Evg., "The Yeomen of the Guard."
THIRD WEEK—Mon., "The Yeomen of the Guard." Tues., "Cox and Box," followed by "The Pirates of Penzance." Wed. and Sat. Evgs., "The Mikado." Thurs. Evg. and Sat. Mat., "The Gondoliers." Fri. Evg., "Cox and Box," followed by "H.M.S. Pinafore."
PRICES FOR THIS ENGAGEMENT.
Balcony Stall, 5/-; Parterre, 4/-; Upper Circle, 3/-.
NOW BOOKING.

OLYMPIA THEATRE.
6.45 ..... TWICE NIGHTLY ..... 9.
ALL-IRISH PROGRAMME.
SHAUN GLENVILLE,
An Irish Comedian if ever there was one.
Monica and Pat Daly, The O'Hara, Bob Robinson and Nan Macken. Irish Song Scena, "The Old Cobbler." Katie Kay, the Cute Girl from Galway. The Golden Quartette, the Musical Act Superb.
Box Office—11-4.30. 'Phone—23292.

ABBEY THEATRE.
MONDAY, 30th MAY, and FOLLOWING NIGHTS, at 8. MATINEE SATURDAY, 2.30.
RE-OPENING AFTER AMERICAN TOUR.
"THE FAR-OFF HILLS."
By Lennox Robinson.
Booking at Theatre. 'Phone: 44505.

METROPOLE.
CONTINUOUS ..... 2.0 to 11.0 p.m.
MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN, THOMAS MEIGHAN, HARDIE ALBRIGHT, in
"SKYLINE."
DAILY AT 2.50, 5.10, 7.30 and 9.50 p.m.
Also Herbert Mundin in "PEACE AND QUIET."

GRAFTON, DAILY AT 3, 5.15, 7.20 and 9.45.
DENNIS NEILSON TERRY and ANNE GREY, in "MURDER AT COVENT GARDEN."
The Famous Covent Garden Market used as Background for Thrilling Story.
AT THE **SAVOY** TO-DAY, 2 to 11.
BUSTER KEATON in
"SIDEWALKS OF NEW YORK."
SHOWING AT 2.20, 4.50, 7.20, 9.40.

ROYAL HIBERNIAN ACADEMY
EXHIBITION,
METROPOLITAN SCHOOL OF ART,
KILDARE STREET.
LAST WEEK.
CLOSES SATURDAY, MAY 28.
Admission, 1/-.

MEMBERS ARE REMINDED THAT THE
SILVER SLIPPER CLUB
(41 HARCOURT STREET, DUBLIN)
DANCES EVERY NIGHT NOW
ALL THIS WEEK:
SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT OF
CEDRIC HAYES,
from the Bat Club and Chateau Madrid, London.
Songs, Dances and Character Studies.
Members Urged Book Tables Early (after 3 p.m.)

THE CHALGROVE FETE,
SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD,
THIS DAY TO SATURDAY (inclusive),
from 3 to 10.30 p.m.
DANCE PAVILION, SIX-A-SIDE HOCKEY, SIDE SHOWS, CONCERTS, GOLF, BANDS, REFRESHMENTS.
Admission 6d.
Formal Opening To-day, at 4 p.m., by the Right Hon. the Earl of Wicklow.

A JUNE FETE,
In the PROVOST'S AND FELLOWS' GARDEN, TRINITY COLLEGE,
On WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY,
1st and 2nd JUNE,
2.30 to 7 o'clock,
In Aid of the University Missions.
CONCERTS, at 3.30 o'clock, EACH DAY.

SHELBOURNE HOTEL,
DUBLIN.
THE PREMIER HOTEL.
NEW AND HANDSOMELY DECORATED ROOMS FOR RECEPTIONS, PRIVATE DANCES, LUNCHEONS and DINNERS.
OPEN TO NON-RESIDENTS FOR MEALS.
Table d'Hôte and à la Carte.
MODERATE TERMS.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES

LOCAL APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION.
POSITIONS VACANT.

Application forms for, and particulars of, the undermentioned posts may be obtained from the Secretary of the Commission, 45 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin, C.8.

(i.) VETERINARY INSPECTOR (part-time and non-pensionable), for duties under the Diseases of Animals Acts and Bovine Tuberculosis Order, Castlebluney District, Co. Monaghan. Salary £40 a year, portion of which is subject to periodic revision.

(ii.) VETERINARY INSPECTORS (part-time and non-pensionable): (a) Under the Diseases of Animals Acts and Bovine Tuberculosis Order, in the former Skibbereen Union District, Co. Cork. Salary £100 a year. (b) For the supervision of the Meat and Milk Supplies, in the former Skibbereen Rural District. Salary £25 a year. (c) For the supervision of the Meat and Milk Supplies, Skibbereen Urban District. Salary £15 a year.

(iii.) TRAINED NURSE (whole-time and pensionable), Co. Home, Sligo. Salary £65-£5-£80 a year, with rations and apartments. C.M.B. Certificate essential.

(iv.) TRAINED NURSE (whole-time and pensionable), Kanturk District Hospital, Co. Cork. Salary £70 a year, with apartments, and 14/- weekly in lieu of rations.

Latest date for receiving completed application forms, 7th June, 1932. 14/C1356. W.H.Co.

COIMISIUN NA STAT-SHEIRBHISE.
OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION ANNOUNCED.

An Open Competitive Examination for posts as WRITING ASSISTANT (FEMALE) will be held on 11th October, 1932. Standard of Examination: Standard VII., National Schools. Age Limits: 16½ to 18½ on 1st October, 1932. Latest Date for Entry, 10th September, 1932. Regulations, Syllabus and Application Form may be obtained free from An Rúnaí, Coimisiún na Stát-Sheirbhise, 45 Sraid Uach O Connell, Baile Atha Cliath, M.8. The Question Papers and results of the examination held in October, 1931, may be bought from the Government Publications Sale Office, 5 Nassau street, Dublin, for 9d., postage 2d. extra.
14/C 1365. W.H.Co.

COIMISIUN NA STAT-SHEIRBHISE.
VACANCIES FOR SIX FORESTRY TRAINEES.

Application forms for, and particulars of, the above vacancies under the Department of Agriculture may be obtained from the Secretary of the Commission, 45 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin, C.8. Age limits 18 to 25 years on 1st October, 1932. Latest date for receipt of completed application forms 8th June, 1932. 14/C 1370. W.H.Co.

COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA hEIREANN.
(IRISH LAND COMMISSION).
NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for Works B 92," will be received up to, but not later than, noon on the 10th June, 1932, for the erection of a dwelling-house on the lands, Leggagh, Co. Meath, situate about 6 miles north of Navan and 2 miles from Wilkinstown, R.S., in accordance with Plans and Specifications to be seen at this office, or on the lands at the hour of 3 o'clock p.m. on the 30th May, 1932, when an Inspector will attend there to point out site. A copy of the Plans and Specifications may be obtained on application to this Office on deposit of £1, which will be refunded on receipt of a bona-fide Tender. The Commissioners will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.—M. DEEGAN, Secretary. COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA hEIREANN (Irish Land Commission), SRAID TACHTARACH WHITEBRITHEANN (Upper Merrion street), BAILE ATHA CLIATH (Dublin).
14/C1378. W.H.Co.

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Telephone No. 23062.

THEATRE ROYAL.
6.45 ..... TWICE NIGHTLY ..... 9.0.
TOM BURKE,
THE WORLD-FAMOUS TENOR, FROM COVENT GARDEN OPERA, ETC.
The Bizarre Jackie Collier, Arthur Conquest's Daphne, British Movietone News, The Three Sanger Brothers, Effie and Sylvia, The Sherina Sisters,
ELSIE BOWER and BILLY RUTHERFORD,
TOM D. NEWELL,

PAVILION, DUN LAOGHAIRE. 3.30 to 10.30.
FINE ENTERTAINMENT. LAST DAY OF "MARRIED IN HASTE,"
With IRENE DUNNE and PAT O'BRIEN.
At 4.15, 6.40 and 9.10. Tom and Jerry Cartoon. CLARK and McCULLOUGH. "CHIC" SALE, etc.
TO-MORROW—"DEADLOCK."

CAPITOL, DUBLIN'S NEWEST PICTURE HOUSE.
DAILY 2.45 TO 11 O'C. CONTINUOUS.
The Smashing He-Man Dramatic Star,
GEORGE BANCROFT, in
"RICH MAN'S FOLLY."
A PARAMOUNT PICTURE.
A Colossal Stage Presentation, Introducing MYRON PEARL AND CO. IN VIENNESE DANCE ECHOES.
MARJORIE STEVENS and LOUIS BARBER
The Speed Steppers.
JOHN WEST, the Eminent Baritone.
CARLYLE and NAVARRO
In an Artistic Musical Act.
THE CAPITOLIANS and CAPITOL GIRLS

CORINTHIAN.
CONTINUOUS ..... 2.30 TILL 11.0 P.M.
SECOND GREAT WEEK.
The Talking Screen's Newest Stars in their Latest Triumph,
JAMES DUNN, SALLY EILERS, in
"OVER THE HILL,"
With MAE MARSH and JAMES KIRKWOOD
Greater than the Famous Silent Picture!

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE OF RATES HAVING BEEN MADE.
CITY AND COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Municipal Rate has been duly made on the property rateable thereto in the County Borough of Dublin.

The rate in the pound of the Municipal Rate (other than the Police Rate) for the service of the year ending on the 31st March, 1933, is sixteen shillings and three pence half-penny.

The rate in the pound of so much of the Municipal Rate as consists of the Police Rate for the service of the said year on so much of the Dublin Metropolitan Area as is included in the County Borough is one penny in the pound.

Provided that the rate to be levied on hereditaments or tenements other than those mentioned in the Second Schedule to the Local Government (Dublin) Act, 1930, in so much of the City of Dublin as was formerly situate in the Rathmines and Rathgar Urban District other than for Excepted Purposes as defined by Section 68 of the Local Government (Dublin) Act, 1930, shall not exceed the sum of Nine shillings and seven pence, being the total amount in the pound of so much of all rates other than the Police Rate assessed upon the Rathmines and Rathgar Urban District for or in respect of the year beginning on the 1st day of April, 1929, as was raised for purposes other than defraying the expenses of performing the duties of the Board of Guardians of the Dublin Union. Provided that the rate to be levied on hereditaments or tenements other than those mentioned in the said Second Schedule in so much of the City of Dublin as was formerly situate in the Pembroke Urban District other than for Excepted Purposes shall not exceed the sum of Nine shillings and five pence, being the total amount in the pound of so much of all rates other than the Police Rate assessed upon the Pembroke Urban District for or in respect of the year beginning on the 1st day of April, 1929, as was raised for purposes other than defraying the expenses of performing the duties of the Board of Guardians of the Dublin Union.

Provided that the rate to be levied on hereditaments or tenements other than those mentioned in the said Second Schedule in so much of the City of Dublin as was formerly situate in the North Dublin Rural District other than for Excepted Purposes shall not exceed the sum of Nine shillings and ten pence farthing, being the total amount in the pound of so much of all rates other than the Police Rate assessed upon that district for or in respect of the year beginning on the 1st day of April, 1929, as was raised for purposes other than defraying the expenses of performing the duties of the Board of Guardians of the Dublin Union in that Rural District. But to the said sum of Nine shillings and ten pence farthing shall be added the sum of two shillings or such other rate in the pound in respect of hereditaments or premises supplied with water for domestic purposes prior to the 1st day of October, 1930, or such fixed charge as was payable in the year beginning on the 1st day of April, 1929, in respect of such supply. Provided that the rate to be levied on hereditaments or tenements other than those mentioned in the said Second Schedule in so much of the City of Dublin as was formerly situated in the South Dublin Rural District other than for Excepted Purposes shall not exceed the sum of Two shillings and one penny, being the total amount in the pound of so much of all rates other than the Police Rate assessed upon that district for the year beginning on the 1st day of April, 1929, as was raised for purposes other than defraying the expenses of performing the duties of the Board of Guardians of the Dublin Union in that Rural District. But in respect of hereditaments or tenements situated in any of the Special Areas hereinafter described to the said sum of Ten shillings and one penny shall be added the amount of the rates assessed upon hereditaments or tenements in those areas for separate charges for or in respect of the said year beginning on the 1st April, 1929, and the sum of two shillings or such other rate in the pound shall be added in respect of hereditaments or premises supplied with water for domestic purposes prior to the 1st day of October, 1930, or such fixed charge as was payable in the year beginning on the 1st April, 1929, in respect of such supply. Provided, however, that such additions shall not have the effect of increasing the total amount of the rate in the pound above the rate of Sixteen shillings and four pence half-penny in the pound mentioned at the heading hereof.

The amounts of the said separate charges and the Special Areas upon which they were assessed are as follows:—

Name of Special Area.	Purpose or Name of Charge.	Special Poundage Rate.
Terenure, Cromlin and Wilkinstown, Simmonscourt (Extended Area), Donnybrook, Dublin and Blessington Tram Area.	Scavenging, Lighting, Dog Watering Roads, Tramway Guarantee.	Four pence halfpenny, Four pence, Five pence halfpenny, Five pence, Twelve pence.

The Municipal Rate for the Excepted Purposes is:—

	In the Pound. s. d.
1. To defray the expenses of performing the duties formerly performed by the Board of Guardians of the Dublin Union	4 0½
2. To provide moneys to meet the demand of the Dublin Port and Docks Board under Sec. 27 of the Dublin Port and Docks (Bridges) Act, 1929, No. 2 (Private) of 1929	0 0½
3. To defray the expenses incurred on meeting a demand made under any Act passed by the Oireachtas after the 31st day of March, 1930, other than the Local Government (Dublin) Act, 1930, viz.—Expenses under the Vocational Education Act, 1930	0s. 3d.
Repayment of Loan—Grangegorman Mental Hospital	0s. 0½d.
	0 3½
Total for Excepted Purposes	4 4½

The Rate Books are now in my custody, and may be inspected by any person affected thereby at the City Hall, Cork Hill, Dublin, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., exclusive of Sundays and Bank Holidays.

The said Rate will be payable from and after the publication of this Notice.

Dated this 24th day of May, 1932.
GERALD J. SHERLOCK,
City Manager and Town Clerk.

"TO MANUFACTURERS OF SMALL ARMS."

THE PROPRIETORS OF PATENT NO. 250233 are desirous of entering into negotiations for the grant of licences to manufacturers on royalty or otherwise, or to treat for the sale of the patent outright.

Particulars will be furnished on application by: A. M. & W. M. CLARK,
53/54 Chancery lane,
London, W.C. 2.

I, FRANCIS SLATER, of HANOVER, CARLOW, hereby give Notice of my intention to apply for Certificate of Suitability for Betting for Premises situate at
MARKET SQUARE, ROSCOMMON.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

ANNUAL ASSEMBLY
OF THE
BAPTIST UNION OF IRELAND,
BAPTIST CHAPEL,
HARCOURT STREET, DUBLIN,

PUBLIC MEETINGS TO-DAY
(WEDNESDAY), 25th MAY.

10 a.m.—Public Meeting for Worship and Prayer. Chairman—Mr. A. B. Hamilton, Limerick, President. Address to Pastors, Delegates, and Members of the Prayer Union by Pastor G. H. Weir, Portadown.

4 p.m.—Annual Public Meeting of Irish Baptist Total Abstinence Society. Chairman—Mr. A. B. Hamilton, President. Report by Secretary. Addresses by Pastor Robert Galbraith, Derry, and J. Marshall Butler, Esq., Dublin.

7.30 p.m.—Annual Public Meeting Irish Baptist Home Mission. Chairman, Mr. A. B. Hamilton, President. Reports by Treasurer and Secretary. Report of Irish Baptist Orphan Society by Mr. W. G. Frizelle, Belfast. Addresses by Pastor S. Jardine and Messrs. C. Reid and A. Clarke.

ALL HEARTILY WELCOME

ROYAL CITY OF DUBLIN HOSPITAL.

DON'T FORGET
"POUND DAY,"
TO-DAY.

PLEASE CONTRIBUTE
A POUND
OF SOMETHING.

TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.
A CENTENARY LECTURE
ON
EDOUARD MANET,
Founder of the Impressionist School, will be delivered by
DR. THOMAS BODKIN,
Honorary Professor of the History of Art, IN THE GRADUATES' MEMORIAL BUILDING, TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN,
On TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), MAY 26th, AT FIVE O'CLOCK p.m.
ADMISSION FREE

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
NOTICE OF CLOSING OF OVERHEAD BRIDGE, FAUSSAGH ROAD
(Formerly FAUSSAGH LANE)
TO ALL TRAFFIC.

Notice is hereby given that for a period of six months from and including Monday, 30th instant, the Bridge over the railway line at Faussagh road will be completely Closed to traffic to allow the Bridge to be reconstructed.
GERALD J. SHERLOCK,
City Manager and Town Clerk.
23rd May, 1932. K.A.A.

CROS DÁN NA h-EIREANN
IRISH WHITE CROSS
CHILDREN'S RELIEF ASSOCIATION (INCORPORATED).
MANSION HOUSE CHAMBERS (Room No. 7), 27 DAWSON STREET, DUBLIN.
THE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Of the Association will take place
On FRIDAY NEXT, the 27th MAY,
at 11.30 o'clock,
At the Registered Offices of the Association, Room No. 7,
27 DAWSON STREET, DUBLIN.
Aine b. Ceannt,
Runaidhe.
24th May, 1932.

SOUTH of Ireland Convention, Greystones, Co. Wicklow, from May 23rd to 28th, 1932. Speakers—Right Rev. Bishop Taylor Smith, D.S.O.; Rev. Canon S. M. Warner (Eastbourne); Rev. R. B. Jones (Perth); Rev. J. Westland Ross (Edinburgh). Chairman—Rev. R. Gatins (Cahir). The daily programme from 24th to 27th will be as follows:—8 a.m. to 9 a.m., Prayer Meeting; 11.30 a.m. to 12.30, Bible Reading; 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., Convention Meeting; 7.30 to 9 p.m., Convention Meeting. A special train will run at 9.15 p.m. to connect with 9.30 p.m. from Bray to Dublin.

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YORK GATE, REGENT'S PARK, LONDON, N.W.1.
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WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 1932.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Mr. MacEntee, the Minister for Finance, defended the taxation in his Budget in the Dail yesterday, and replied to the criticisms of the Opposition during last week's debates.—(Page 3.)

"Smuggling fever" has broken out on the Free State-Northern Ireland border, and much ingenuity is being exercised in evading the new tariffs.—(Page 7.)

Mr. Lemass (Minister for Industry and Commerce) describes as "unauthorised" and "inaccurate" a report published yesterday to the effect that he had informed a deputation of flour millers of a new scheme which would result in the re-opening of "silent" flour mills and in the working of others to full capacity.—(Page 7.)

Mr. P. McGilligan, T.D., speaking at Bray last night, uttered a warning to the people of the Free State, and said that trade and business had almost been brought to a stand-still by the policy of the Government.—(Page 8.)

The Royal Ulster Agricultural Society's Show opens to-day in the Balmoral Show Grounds, Belfast.—(Page 13.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Prime Minister (Mr. Ramsay Macdonald), in an Empire Day message which was broadcast last night, stressed the sacredness of treaties, and spoke very hopefully of the forthcoming Imperial Conference at Ottawa.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

Archbishop Sweeny, of the Anglican Church of Canada, has resigned owing to infirmity, due to age.—(Page 8.)

The new Prussian Diet, which met yesterday, is faced with the difficulty of forming a new Government owing to the composition of the parties.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At the Curragh yesterday Wandering Wing won the Harristown Plate, Rahab the Scurry Plate, Tolerate the Beginners' Stakes, Double Bell the Friarstown Plate, Killone Hill the Juvenile Plate, and Mandritsara the Newbridge Plate.—(Page 10.)

At York yesterday Pollux won the Londesborough Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Bath Early Closing won the Bath Spring Handicap.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were again weak, with a further all-round recession in values. Canadian Pacifics fell to a new low record of 13.—(Page 12.)

Loan and discount rates remained very easy.—(Page 12.)

In Dublin there was a further recovery of 7 points to 283 in Bank of Ireland stock.—(Page 12.)

Commerce and the Commonwealth.

"We live by spirit and not by form," said Mr. Ramsay Macdonald in his speech over the wireless last night. It was a fair description of the British Commonwealth of Nations. Within the Commonwealth every member is free; every member may work out its own destiny; none is subject to compulsion by another. Nothing binds the nations of the Commonwealth save that intangible link which is provided by a common allegiance to the Crown—an allegiance that involves no burdens, and imposes no limitation on the sovereignty of any Dominion. "Ours is an illogical structure," said Mr. Macdonald. In other words, it is a natural structure—not the result of any one country's imposition of its will upon another, but a structure which has developed until, for perfection of freedom within a union, it has no parallel in the history of mankind. The Commonwealth of to-day has avoided "the danger of satellite States grouped around a powerful and controlling centre." Herein the Prime Minister of Great Britain declares to the world that no Dominion owes obedience to England, her laws or her Parliament. Who can ask a fairer acknowledgment? The Commonwealth is an association of nations free not only in constitutional theory, but in fact. To deny such freedom is to deny the shadow as well as the substance. To seek any further degree of liberty, if a further degree exist, is to cast away the substance, while retaining no deeper or clearer shadow.

The States of this union are free to negotiate treaties with one another; and they are morally bound to observe those treaties, as they would observe agreements with sovereign States outside the Commonwealth. Mr. de Valera seems to have an idea that perfect liberty involves a right to break treaties; to observe them, as he appears to think, is a symbol of subordination. How would he regard a treaty with Afghanistan or Liberia? No State, whether within or without the Commonwealth, may break a treaty with impunity. If it dishonours its bond in one respect, it must become liable to suspicion in all others. How, then, if Mr. de Valera carries his motion to remove Article 2 of the Free State Constitution—an action which automatically would destroy the Anglo-Irish Treaty—can he conceive that any State, within or without the Commonwealth, will accept his bond henceforward? Not only will Ireland be dishonoured, but the natural disapproval of the Commonwealth States will convey harshly practical consequences. Even to-day the Dominions are drawing up their plans for the Ottawa Conference, which will give concrete expression to their brotherhood under the Crown. Inter-imperial commerce demands agreement among the nations. Who will accept an agreement signed by Mr. de Valera's Government if it presses the Oath Bill and repudiates the Treaty?

Ottawa's weight in the Free State's fortunes has been made abundantly clear to every Irishman. It is lamentable that Mr. de Valera should be casting difficulties in the path of his own country while every other nation of the Commonwealth is deep in preparations for the Conference. Canada's good-will has been proclaimed a hundred times; Australia's interest has been transformed into enthusiasm, and South Africa is making no secret of her eagerness to co-operate. Mr. Macdonald, in the course of his broadcast, revealed the vital interest displayed by Britain. Before they depart on their journey, he said, the British delegates will have studied every aspect of the problem of imperial free trade with unprecedented thoroughness. Britain already has given more than adequate evidence of her sincerity. At the time of her deepest distress, when she was compelled to abandon her century-old tradition of free trade, she deliberately exempted Empire produce from the scope of her import duties. From that action she could expect nothing but good-will, and good-will she gained in plenty—from all Dominions save the Free State, which derived the greatest benefit. If her action, and the reactions of the older Dominions, are a foretaste of the Commonwealth's decisions at Ottawa, those decisions will be precious and enduring. If the Free State's reaction, as illustrated in her fantastic tariff policy, serves as a symbol of her attitude towards the Ottawa Conference, she will be the "wall-flower" of the imperial ball.

Spanish Separatism.

The Statute in which Catalonia advances her claim to autonomy within the Spanish Republic is now before the Cortes, and the Prime Minister announces that the debate will be concluded in fifteen sittings. Since the Statute was ratified by plebiscite in August last the demeanour of the Catalans has been uncompromising in the extreme; but, now that the measure is actually under discussion, it is improbable that separatist ambition will be allowed to stand in the way of compromise on minor points. Thus at last a solution to a problem hundreds of years old seems to be in sight. The clash of loyalties and aspirations between the Catalans and the Castilians—as the Madrid Correspondent of *The Times* reminds us—was no new feature of Spanish life so far back as the fifteenth century, and later history has not diminished it. When Isabella granted the exclusive right of trade with the new world to Seville the insult rankled in the minds of a people whose seamanship was respected throughout the Mediterranean. This early grievance has not been forgotten, and it is regarded as one of the links in a chain of injustices. The Spanish-American War and the Great War rekindled Catalan separatism, and a renaissance of the language and literature of the province helped to unite its people. An attempt by the Monarchy in 1914 to ease the situation by the promise of a measure of self-rule served only to strengthen the Catalan spirit, and the compromise ended in failure seven years ago. On the eve of revolution in 1930 the future provisional Government purchased the support of Catalonia only by the promise of freedom, and it is upon that promise that the province now depends. In what terms the agreement was couched is now a matter of doubt. The excitement and uncertainty of the times probably precluded any dispassionate debate; but the Catalans claim that the provisional Government pledged itself to submit to the Cortes a Statute drawn up by themselves, and that the National Assembly is bound to ratify it. If the Statute is passed, the entire position in Catalonia will be altered. It claims exclusive legislative power over education, courts of justice and local police; and by its terms compulsory military service will be abolished, and no citizen can be obliged to fight outside Spanish territory. The time is friendly to Catalan ambitions, and only the fear of such imprudences as the recent uncompromising behaviour of Colonel Macia stands between the province and their fulfilment.

No More Sea.

Within a few days a feature of Europe's geography will have ceased to exist. Seven hundred years ago the North Sea overflowed the low country which separated Friesland from the peninsula of North Holland, and created the Zuyder Zee. Since that time the shallow waters of the Zuyder Zee—their average depth is twelve feet—have covered an area of some two thousand square miles. The frugal Dutch never have been reconciled to this waste of territory. In recent centuries various proposals have been made for the reclamation of the Zuyder Zee; but a practicable scheme was not designed until 1891, was not sanctioned by Parliament until 1918, and was not taken in hand until 1927. It included a great dam, twenty miles in length, between Friesland and the island of Wieringen, and the transmutation of the enclosed waters into fertile soil by means of an elaborate system of drainage. The Dutch, through hard experience, are the world's finest experts in drainage; and the work has advanced swiftly and surely during the last five years. Some months ago we recorded that the four "polders," or areas of reclaimed land, already were being allotted—though still in anticipation—among eager farmers. Now it is announced that, during the present week, the Zuyder Zee will be enclosed by the completion of the main dyke. A lake—the Ysel—remaining in the centre of the imprisoned Zee, will be surrounded by some half-million acres of arable land, which will be ready for tillage as soon as their long saturation by sea-salt has been counteracted. Already, indeed, the first bread made from rye grown on one of the new "polders" has been eaten. The cost of this great enterprise has been heavy, and the fishermen—whose occupation will be gone—must be compensated; but the Government will recoup itself from the rents of the reclaimed land. We may compare Holland's achievement with the British construction of the Sukkur Dam, which is transforming the desert Province of Sind into a granary for Northern India.

Strife of Tongues.

The hope of Europe in her present ills rests in international co-operation, and her greatest trouble is lack of understanding between the nations. Such work as that of the *Alliance Française*, which met in London last week, is to be praised as an attempt to hasten that understanding. The Society exists, primarily, to spread the knowledge of French speech and thought throughout the world, but its general aim includes such practical matters as the development of *tourisme*. At its latest conference the subject of international travel was considered from both the British and French points of view. Of late years, the French people has widened immensely its acquaintance with the aims and aspirations of the British nations and with their common tongue. For this welcome growth of intimacy the tourist traffic must receive much of the credit. A good example of the tourists' unconscious, but important, part in the destinies of Europe was afforded by the speech of M. de Fleuriau, the French Ambassador. In his young days at La Rochelle, he said, his father and one other man—a celebrated duellist—were the only citizens who had mastered the English tongue. To-day the number is more than six hundred. The abandonment of the gold standard, however, has changed the situation, since it is no longer possible for English and Irish citizens to embark light-heartedly upon continental trips. If the French take the opportunity which a favourable rate of exchange now offers, we can imagine that in the near future a representative of the Free State in Paris will be able to cap the Ambassador's reminiscence.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

High Courts and Circuit Courts — Four Courts, 11 a.m.
Dublin Board of Assistance—10.30 a.m.
Royal Ulster Agricultural Society Show—Belfast.
Dail and Senate—3 p.m.
Rathdown Board of Assistance—4.30 p.m.
College Historical Society—T.C.D., 8 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS.
Gaiety Theatre—"Carmen."
Olympia Theatre—Variety.
Metropole Cinema—"Skyline" and "Peace and Quiet."
Grafton Cinema—"Murder at Covent Garden."
Savoy Cinema—"Sidewalks of New York."
Theatre Royal—Variety.
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"Married in Haste."
Capitol Cinema—"Rich Man's Folly" and Variety.
Royal Hibernian Academy Exhibition—Metropolitan School of Art, Kildare street.
Silver Slipper Club—Dancing and Variety.
Chalgrove Fete—South Circular road, 3 p.m. to 10.30 p.m.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Yesterday afternoon the King and Queen paid a private visit to the Flower Show of the Royal Horticultural Society, which will open to-day in the Royal Hospital Gardens, Chelsea. Their Majesties made a tour of the gardens, in which there is great promise of blossom, but the shrubs and many varieties of flowers are very late in showing bloom.

Last night the King and Queen were present at the Lyceum Theatre, where a performance of "The Miracle" was given. Their Majesties witnessed the play from a box which had been erected for them in the centre of the dress circle. To-day the King, accompanied by the Queen, will open the Royal Tournament at Olympia.

Yesterday the Prince of Wales was the principal guest at the inaugural luncheon at the Nations' Foods Exhibition at Olympia. The Earl of Derby presided.

The Duke and Duchess of York returned to London yesterday from Plymouth, where they were the guests at Admiralty House of the Commander-in-Chief, Admiral the Hon. Sir Hubert Brand.

The Marquess and Marchioness of Huntly have left Orton-Longueville for London, and have been joined at 24 Grosvenor square, London, by Princess Francesco Rospigliosi, who will spend the season with them. The Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair has returned to the House of Cromar, Aberdeen, from Geneva, where she presided over the meetings of the International Council of Women.

The Earl of Lonsdale has left Lowther Castle, Penrith, for London. Lord and Lady Hastings and the Hon. Armyne Astley have arrived in London from Norfolk. Lord and Lady Cranworth, with their daughters, the Hon. Camilla and the Hon. Judith Gurdon, have arrived in London for the season.

The Lord Mayor of London and Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia University, will be the guests of honour at the dinner party celebrating Independence Day, which the American Society will give at the Savoy Hotel on Monday, July 4th.

The engagement is announced between Captain Denis Daly, late 8th Hussars, of Russborough House, Blessington, Co. Wicklow, eldest son of the late William Daly, D.L., of Dunsandle, Co. Galway, to Maeb, only daughter of Doctor and Mrs. E. E. Lennon, of Newcastle House, Enfield, Co Meath, and 20 Merrion square, Dublin.

Switzers are showing a most attractive selection of smart Knitted Suits in their Inexpensive Gown Dept. at prices ranging from 69s. 6d. Many are particularly suitable for Golf.

Pretty Polly Pure Silk Stockings, newest season's shades, 3s. 11d. to 8s. 11d. Satisfactory wear guaranteed.—W. Holmes and Co., George's street, Dublin.

Chancellor's Celebrated Watches. — 7 Grafton street, Dublin.

Spun silk tennis frocks at Slyne's for 15s. 11d. for girls about 15 years.—Slyne's, Ltd., Grafton street and Harry street.

PASSENGERS BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
Among the arrivals were:—E. G. Porter, Taylor Yard, J. J. Delaney, L. E. Sweeney, Mr. Gillespie, Holyhead; Mrs. A. E. Watchorn, Mr. J. J. Murphy, G. Bairn, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. J. Barrett, Capt. and Mrs. J. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Watterson, Mr. and Mrs. Parke Simpson, Mrs. W. M. Power, Mr. L. Lapedus, LL.B.; Mr. K. H. Hildebrandt, Mrs. S. W. A. Davis, S. M. Corrigan, Rev. J. W. Murphy, Thomas McKay, G. Fellon, H. W. Tait, H. Cormin, Mr. W. R. Thomuson, Mrs. H. Groves, Miss Millock, G. R. Millock, H. B. Horan, J. G. Murray, L. Cuthbertt, J. Sedrieen, R. S. Bell, Miss H. McAlister, Mr. H. Greer, Mr. Wainwright, Colonel Carpendale, Mr. and Mrs. Booth, Mrs. and Miss Petty, Mrs. Rogers and Capt. and Mrs. J. Hughes.

Among the departures were:—Miss Minna Graham, Sir Thomas Whitelaw Graham, Sir William Taylor, Hon. Lady McCalmont, R. J. Sheridan, John W. Davis, Captain J. Honer, Captain W. M. Cronner, Rev. J. H. Rogers, Mrs. McCol. S. Somers, Dr. and

SMUGGLING FEVER ON THE BORDER.

INGENIOUS WAYS OF EVADING THE NEW DUTIES.

OUTWITTING THE CUSTOMS OFFICERS.

PACKAGE GOODS OPENED AND BROUGHT IN ON TRAYS.

A SPECIAL "Irish Times" representative on the Free State-Northern Ireland border reveals below the bewildering situation which has been created there by the operation of the recent tariffs.

"Smuggling fever" has broken out, and much ingenuity is being exercised by border residents in evading the new duties.

A WAVE OF RESENTMENT.

BY A SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.

The flood of resentment against the tariffs imposed under the Free State Budget shows no signs of abating, and yesterday I still found many voices raised in protest along the Free State-Northern Ireland frontier.

County Donegal is the hardest hit district. It has virtually been transformed into a second island surrounded by high tariff walls. Fishermen are finding that their nets are being detained in transit for assessment, and they fear that, if some steps are not taken to exempt the material of their calling from duty, the fishing industry of the Donegal coast will be ruined, and only the foreign trawlers will be able to make a living.

MORE COMPLAINTS.

A few hundred yards within the Free State border I visited factories which have been built within the tariff walls, only to find more complaints. A shirt manufacturer told me that when his factory was in Northern Ireland he did an extensive business on both sides of the border, but now that he had been obliged to leave his premises in the Six Counties and commence operations within the Twenty-six Counties, he finds it difficult to compete with foreign manufacturers. All his "key" labour had to be transferred from the Northern Ireland factory, and it was impossible to get fresh shirt hands locally; hence he could give very little employment to residents of the Free State.

"I cannot compete with the English manufacturer, because the tariff is only high enough to make things difficult, but not high enough to protect the industry," said this manufacturer to me yesterday. "The fifteen per cent. does not affect the foreign manufacturer, who buys his materials in far larger quantities than I can afford to," he continued; "and then if they are selling at a high price, Dublin and other retailers will continue to buy from abroad, because they have a far better chance of getting an exclusive pattern than if they buy from me or any other Free State manufacturer."

Other factory owners and managers told similar stories. "What they give with one hand they take away with the other," said one County Donegal business man when I asked him how his trade had been affected.

EVADING THE DUTIES.

People living near the border resent the tax and are exploiting many novel means of evading the duties. While waiting at one railway station, just within the Free State boundary, I noticed several parcels hanging from carriage-door handles on the off-side of the train. A man near by noticed my surprise and told me that it was not unusual for people with small packages to hang their parcels out in this manner while the Customs officers passed through the train.

Smuggling has broken out like a fever all along the border, and preventive men and Customs officers are the first to admit this. Most of the goods are smuggled through by night, I was told, and with the meagre staffs which are allotted to the frontier posts and stations it is impossible to patrol the districts efficiently.

A WOMAN'S INGENUITY.

While talking to the officers about evasion of duties, a new and exceedingly novel method came under my notice. A woman car-driver was returning from shopping in a Northern Ireland town, and, in order to avoid the package tax, she had spread her purchases out on a tray, which she carried in the back of the car.

"Can you beat that?" asked the Customs officer, scratching his head and contemplating the rear of the car as it disappeared into the Free State.

The tax on bicycles and perambulators has probably aroused the greatest indignation of the people. A man wishing to bring his cycle into the Free State has to deposit the amount of the tax and have his machine sealed by the Customs officer; but, as he may be continually crossing the border—as in the case of a man living in Strabane and working in Lifford—he cannot recover the amount he has deposited.

CHILDREN AFFECTED.

No provision has been made to permit bicycles to be brought into the Free State for pleasure purposes. Children have been very badly affected by this duty. Many of them living in the Six Counties go to school in the Free State in order to learn Irish, which is not included in the curriculum in the North. They have to cycle two, three or more miles to the school, but the introduction of the duty has stopped the normal method of transport. They have either to walk or to stay in Northern Ireland, and not learn Irish except by private tuition, which, in most cases, is too expensive.

It is almost an absurd sight to see women presenting their marketing baskets at frontier stations for the inspection of the preventive men, who frankly admit that they feel "desperate mean, but it's my job," when asking for duty.

I learnt of at least one firm that has imported its cardboard cartons into the Free State packed flat. Empty bottles and the mixture which is usually sold in the bottles have been sent to Ireland in a cask. All that remains to be done in the Free State is the folding of the cartons and the filling of the bottles from the casks by the retailers.

RETURNED GOODS.

A Lifford trader told me yesterday that even with the tariffs imposed on the goods he could still buy on better terms in Belfast or Derry than in Dublin. Besides the lower cost, he pointed out that there is much less freightage to pay. "If I ordered the goods from Dublin, I should have a long delay before they were delivered, whereas I get them in a day or two from Belfast. It's all wrong," he concluded.

Railway business has slackened off considerably, and goods traffic has dropped to far below normal. I learnt during the course of enquiries at stations in the Free State that "what traffic there is seems to be returned goods on which people will not pay the duty."

Among the freight which I found waiting to be returned to Northern Ireland was a consignment of twenty coffins, which had been ordered some time before the imposition of the tariff, and were actually in transit at the time of the introduction of the Budget.

INDIGNANT FARMERS.

Farmers protest loudly against the duty on disinfectants. "We must pay the annuities, and then we get taxes like this which will not do anyone much good," one of them told me. Their wives also add their voices to the lament, and several complained to me yesterday that something of a vendetta is being carried on by some of the Northern Ireland shopkeepers to whom they had in pre-tariffs days sold their dairy produce and purchased groceries.

Now that tariffs are in operation, these women cannot buy groceries economically in the Six Counties, and, consequently, the grocers will not purchase their dairy produce. In the nation's trade this may be but a small affair, but it is telling on the people who live in a small way.

Free State Customs officers still admit that they are bewildered by the tariffs. Orders and amendments flow into their office daily, and put them deeper in doubt. At every post they have to face the onslaught of public protest and endeavour to meet the ever-growing wave of ill-feeling which has arisen.

FLOUR-MILLING INDUSTRY.

REPORT DENIED BY MR. LEMASS.

"UNAUTHORISED" AND "INACCURATE."

IT was reported yesterday (not in the *Irish Times*) that the Minister for Industry and Commerce had informed a deputation of Free State flour millers of a new scheme which would result in the re-opening of "silent" flour mills and the working to full capacity of all the other mills in the country.

Last night, however, Mr. Sean Lemass (Minister for Industry and Commerce) issued the following statement:—

"Certain references to the Government's policy in regard to the flour-milling industry appeared in the Press to-day. These statements have been made without authority and are inaccurate."

THE FLOUR-MILLERS' ATTITUDE.

Miss C. A. Mitchell, secretary of the Irish Flour Millers' Association, also issued a statement, which contains the following:—

"With reference to the inaccurate and unauthorised report appearing in Tuesday's issue of certain newspapers of a conference held on Monday between the Minister for Industry and Commerce and Irish flour millers, I am instructed to state—

"(1) The meeting was called by the Minister, and not at the request of the millers.

"(2) So far from the plans proposed by the Minister being 'heard with enthusiasm by the millers,' it was pointed out to the Minister that millers are perfectly satisfied with their *status quo*, and that any interference would not react to their benefit."

MESSRS. BOLANDS' EXTENSION.

It is interesting to note that at the annual meeting of Messrs. Bolands, Ltd., held last Friday, Mr. D. L. O'Donohoe, chairman, in moving the adoption of the annual report, mentioned that the company's Ringsend road mills were being remodelled and extended at a cost of £25,000, so as to increase their maximum output by 50,000 sacks of flour per annum. No doubt, he added, they were entitled to a return on their outlay, but they were also entitled to a market for the full capacity of their mills. No Government with a proper sense of responsibility could close its eyes to the danger of the home flour-milling industry being smoved under by foreign "combines," which had no interest in the country beyond getting all the money they could.

CIVIL SERVICE SALARY "CUTS."

TO BE ANNOUNCED TO-DAY.

Our Political Correspondent writes:—I learn definitely that the "cuts" in Civil Service salaries will be announced to heads of departments to-day. They will take effect immediately. The "cuts" will be on the scale I indicated some time ago, beginning at £175 basic salary, and ranging from 2 to 20 per cent.

REPRESENTATION AT OTTAWA.

STATEMENT BY MR. BALDWIN.

The Imperial Conference at Ottawa was the subject of several questions in the House of Commons yesterday.

Mr. Thomas Williams (Labour, Don Valley) asked for the names of the full British delegation, and who would head the delegates.

Mr. Baldwin replied that the Prime Minister made a full statement on this subject on 17th March, to which there was nothing to add, except as regards the representation of the Ministry of Agriculture, it being proposed that the Minister himself should be a delegate. The question of who would head the delegation depended upon circumstances. Until the duration of the Lausanne Conference and the present session of Parliament had been settled it was impossible to say whether each of the Ministers named could go to Ottawa.

Mr. Runciman, in reply to Sir Adrian Baillie (Conservative, Linlithgow), said that the Imperial Economic Committee was investigating the question as to whether a higher percentage of Empire manufacture was required before goods could be imported at preferential rate into the Dominions than was required for preferential importation into Great Britain, and, if necessary, advantage might be taken of the Ottawa Conference for consultation with the Governments concerned.

Colonel Gretton (Conservative, Burton) asked if Empire migration would be one of the subjects considered at the Ottawa Conference.

Mr. Thomas said that the question of migration as an essential element in economic co-operation within the Empire would not be lost sight of by the United Kingdom delegation.

Colonel Gretton—May we take it that the right hon. gentleman will take care that this question is brought before the Conference?

Mr. Thomas replied that it was bound to be linked up with the trade discussions. He did not think that it would be practicable for the British Government to ask the Dominion Governments to alter their migration policy so far as entry at this moment was concerned. An improvement in the Dominions would be the best thing for migration.

HIGHER TARIFFS IN AUSTRALIA.

THE FEDERAL BUDGET DEFICIT.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

CANBERRA, Tuesday.

Introducing the Supply Bill in the House of Representatives to-day, Mr. Bruce said that it was estimated that the Federal Budget would conform with the Premier's plan, with, if anything, a smaller deficit than had been looked for. Sales, tax, Customs, postal and railway receipts had decreased, but income tax receipts had risen.

A tariff schedule tabled this afternoon imposes increased duties on wireless valves, clocks, watches (except wristlet-watches), clock and watch movements, and cigarette papers and tubes, yielding £500,000 yearly, and on almond kernels, canary seed, cork boards and matches. The Excise duty on petrol distilled in Australia is increased by 1½d. a gallon, yielding an additional £100,000.

Parliament adjourned to-night for at least two months.

THE SACREDNESS OF TREATIES.

MR. MACDONALD ON PEACE.

CASE OF BRITISH ALLEGIANCE.

HOPES IN OTTAWA CONFERENCE.

THE British Premier (Mr. Ramsay Macdonald) laid special stress on the sacredness of treaties in the course of an Empire Day message which he broadcast last night.

"If," he said, "those of us who have the hope of a world steadily changing for the better on account of its own qualities, rather than of one sporadically altering because it is the seat of eruptive forces and revolution, speak of the sacredness of treaties, we do so not because we think that the contents of treaties are of themselves sacred, but because we are convinced that the treaty method is the only way by which stability, peace and confidence can be maintained, when even great and fundamental changes are being made.

"The method which regards treaties as scraps of paper, to be altered or ended as it suits either party, is the method of disunity. It destroys confidence. It bases all agreements on force rather than on honour. It strikes at the root of moral solidarity."

ALLEGIANCE NO YOKE.

Those who have been brought in by conquest, which hitherto has made and unmade Empires, he went on, no longer sit at our table in the places provided for the conquered. Those who have come to be with us because they required tutelage and protection are asking us to honour our own work, by giving them an increasing responsibility for themselves, and by allowing them to teach themselves, even, perhaps, by their mistakes, as well as to learn by our guidance. Ours is an illogical structure, but logic in constitution-making proves the bankruptcy of statesmen. We live by spirit, and not by form. Diverse races and nationalities who owe, with us, a common allegiance, are happy with us because that allegiance is no yoke and no subordination.

This is not a placid time to live through. When we are changing the kind of grip which keeps us together, easy would it be to lose the grip altogether, so that the Commonwealth would fall away into a group of separate States, foreign to each other. No greater calamity than that could befall the world, or the Dominions themselves. The British Commonwealth to-day has gone further and with greater success, than any other alliance of self-governing States in securing freedom for nationality within a Union, whilst avoiding the danger of satellite States grouped round a powerful and controlling centre. This last form is a danger to peace and to individuality at the same time.

AN INFLUENCE FOR PEACE.

The British Commonwealth is, on the other hand, not only a security to internal peace, but a powerful world influence for universal peace. Its present structure is designed to promote liberty and fellowship—the two great needs of the world of the future. Only by a general extension of the ideas upon which our Empire is now being maintained will the world find solutions for its present troubles, both in political and economic policy.

The recent changes in our constitutional structure must, therefore, not be taken as steps towards dissolution, but towards an increase in Dominion freedom, so as to secure the permanence of the unity of the whole, and increase its usefulness in the world at large. It is an invitation to a closer fellowship with other great nations, not a challenge either to their existence or their importance.

I believe that the nations of the Commonwealth, as their liberties grow, will also value their unity, and that, witnessing the disrupted world which was left by the War, and the terrible problems which we now have to meet, every member of that Commonwealth is well aware of the great advantage to itself and to the whole world of the existence of this Commonwealth of ours, and will strengthen the bond of its fellowship.

I also believe that the way to increase self-government in the world is not to surrender responsibility, but to transfer it by methods like those adopted at the Indian Round-Table Conference. And I believe that that will always be our British Empire method. We must be willing to review the ground when the moments for change have come. We must be ready to consider and make the changes which are necessary, but we must give no encouragement to those who for one reason or other set themselves out to supplant reason by force, and who seek by resistance to wear us out into acquiescence.

There can be no doubt, for instance, but that during the past year very formidable obstacles have been put in the way of an Indian settlement by Indian Congress methods. The country which yields because it is afraid to face its tasks does one of the greatest disservices that can be done to the world.

NATIONAL CO-OPERATION.

Mr. Macdonald at this point made his reference to the sacredness of treaties.

At this stage in world history, he continued, I put over against the nationalist individualism and separatism of the end of eighteenth, and much of nineteenth, century politics, the national co-operation, fellowship and organisation of the twentieth century. Our Commonwealth of Nations is not only a creation of the past: it is a structure of the future.

The great obstacle to-day to world prosperity, after reparations, is that of nationalism removed from its proper sphere of cultural and political libert, and made the justification for restrictions in international trade. These, when carried to the lengths to which some States have carried them, mean the impoverishment of the whole world.

OTTAWA.

At Ottawa I believe we can lay the foundations of an economic policy which will be mutually helpful to the members of the Commonwealth, but which will not be paralysing to general world commerce. We can create freer trade conditions over a vast area. Before the British Government delegation leaves it will have studied, with a thoroughness which has never before been devoted to it, every aspect of the problem of imperial preference as a means of promoting imperial unity, increasing the volume of imperial trade and employing imperial labour. The work is to be hard, and will require patience, but the will to succeed, I am sure, will be there. The policy embodied in the Import Duties Act of this year of exempting the Dominions, India and Southern Rhodesia from the duties under that Act, pending an opportunity for negotiations at Ottawa, and of complete exemption for the Colonies, is, at any rate, a proof, which nothing can set aside, of how anxious the National Government is for the further development of imperial trade on the freest possible lines. We are confident that this generous gesture will be reciprocated.

OATH BILL IN THE SENATE.

THE AGENDA FOR OTTAWA.

NO REPLY YET TO MR. THOMAS.

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

PUBLIC interest will be centred chiefly in the Senate to-day, when the bill for the removal of the Oath from the Constitution will come up for second reading. The applications for tickets for the occasion have been abnormal, and many people will be disappointed. What line the debate will take is not yet certain. The matter was the subject of a prolonged conference of Senators of the Cumann na nGaedheal Party last night at Leinster House. Mr. Cosgrave, the leader of the party, was present. The decision arrived at was not disclosed, but the general impression is that the bill will get a second reading, and that amendment will be made in the Committee stage.

OTTAWA CONFERENCE.

The question of the Ottawa Conference will be raised by Mr. P. McGilligan at question time in the Dail, when he will ask President de Valera as Minister for External Affairs—

"If, in relation to the suggestion made by Great Britain last December to the Government of the Irish Free State that an informal exchange of views should take place on the questions which might come up for discussion at Ottawa, (a) any representations or requests have been made to the British Government by or on behalf of the Government of the Irish Free State; and (b) if the discussions have commenced, and, if so, with what result?"

In this connection it is of interest to learn officially that the agenda for the Ottawa Economic Conference was received at Government Buildings yesterday simultaneously with its reception in London. The agenda comes direct from the Ottawa Government, who are the hosts of the Conference. In this respect it is evident that the Free State is not being treated differently from any other Dominions.

It seems that there is no change in the Free State Government's intention to accept the invitation of the Ottawa Government, and the present intention is that the delegation shall leave Dublin on July 8th. It is hoped that the Dail will adjourn about that time for the summer holidays.

A HOUSING SCHEME.

Before the adjournment the Government hope to put through an ambitious programme of legislation, which will include an extensive housing scheme based on the £5,000,000 programme already outlined, a Food Prices Bill, Pensions (Wounds) Bill, Flour-Milling Bill, Companies Bill, Finance Bill, a bill to remove political tests, and a Finance Bill.

In order to do this it will be proposed that the Dail should sit four days a week, beginning with next week.

The Committee to investigate the proposed scheme for a widows' and orphans' pensions scheme will hold its first sitting next Saturday at 11 o'clock at Leinster House.

LAND ANNUITIES.

It was learned last evening that the Free State reply to Mr. Thomas on the question of the land annuities had not yet been despatched.

It appears that the President of the Executive Council does not consider the matter one of great urgency, and the opinion now is that the reply may be despatched within the next few days.

MR. THOMAS HAS NOTHING TO ADD.

BRITAIN AND THE FREE STATE.

Asked in the House of Commons yesterday if he had any further statement to make with regard to the relations between Britain and the Irish Free State, Mr. J. H. Thomas, Secretary for the Dominions, said he had nothing to add to the statements he had already made.

Mr. Mander inquired whether any consultation had taken place with the other members of the British Commonwealth of Nations with regard to the controversy with the Irish Free State as affected by the Ottawa Conference.

Mr. Thomas—As I have already made clear, the issues at the moment are between this country and the Irish Free State, inasmuch as they relate to the interpretation of the Treaty of 1921 and other agreements forming part of the settlement then reached between the two countries. H.M. Government in the United Kingdom have, naturally, taken steps to keep the other Dominions informed as to the position.

Mr. Hannan—Would it not be better in the interests of all concerned that questions on this subject should not be put on the paper? (Cheers.)

Mr. Thomas made no reply.

FROM "THE TIMES."

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

DIGNITY ON THE BENCH.

It is to be hoped that the undignified dispute between Lord Justice Scrutton and Mr. Justice McCardie will go no further, remarks *The Times* editorially to-day. At the end of last term—in what has become romantically known as the Helen of Troy case—Lord Justice Scrutton, sitting in the Court of Appeal, reproved Mr. Justice McCardie for expressing in his judgment certain views on sociological problems relating to husbands and wives. At the opening of the Trinity Term yesterday the latter retaliated with a statement that he would refuse to supply a copy of his notes of the case which was coming before him in the event of its going to appeal, unless he was satisfied first that Lord Justice Scrutton would not be a member of the Court.

"I regret," he added pontifically, "that it has become my duty to administer this public rebuke to Lord Justice Scrutton." As a matter of fact, it seems to be extremely doubtful whether a judge has the power to refuse to supply a copy of his notes to a Court of Appeal merely because he disapproves of one of the members constituting it; but, however that may be, there can be no doubt whatever that this sort of public altercation between judges is altogether to be deplored, and quite inconsistent with the traditions of the Bench. Frank and fearless statements of judicial opinion are all very well, but they are certainly not incompatible with the exercise of tact and good manners. Incidents such as that which came to a climax yesterday are, happily, very rare; and, though they will not lessen the public confidence in our judicial system, they must inevitably tend to lessen public respect for those members of it who provoke them.

MR. MACENTEE LASHES WITH HIS TONGUE.

GAUNTLET THROWN BEFORE MR. COSGRAVE.

DEFENCE OF TAKING MONEY FROM HOSPITALS.

BY OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.

MOST of Mr. MacEntee's speech in the Dail last night, in reply to the debate on the Budget, consisted of invective against his critics, and this was only one respect of many in which it resembled his opening Budget speech of a fortnight ago. There was the same carefully-prepared rhetoric, the same dramatic modulation of tone and gesture, and the same profusion of rather laborious similes.

ONLY A DOZEN MEMBERS.

To add a statistical element to his opening speech, the Minister entertained the House last Wednesday to a discourse on the subject of gold ounces. The counterpart to this in last night's speech was an elaborate comparison of income tax incidence in the Free State and in Great Britain as it operated in regard to taxpayers of varying incomes and varying family responsibilities, the moral of which was, according to the Minister, that anyone who emigrated from the Free State to Northern Ireland would be merely "jumping out of the frying pan into the fire."

As on the former occasion, the House was kept waiting until the sitting was well advanced before the Minister rose to deliver his important contribution. Four more of the Government's tariff resolutions had to be first disposed of, and it was 6.35 when Mr. MacEntee's perfectly rounded periods began to roll forth. Only a dozen members were in the House at the time, and although Fianna Fail members began to flock in immediately after, only four or five deputies were in occupation of the Cumann na nGaedheal benches throughout the hundred minutes for which the speech lasted.

A CHALLENGE.

The first half of the speech was a violent tirade against Mr. Cosgrave, who sat impassive at the head of an otherwise deserted front bench. Mr. McGilligan, who should have shared the brunt of the attack, had walked out of the Chamber as the Minister rose to his feet, leaving the latter to make scornfully regretful references to his departure.

"Deputy McGilligan, as well as Deputy Cosgrave," declared the Minister, "made one of the vilest speeches during the debate that the Dail has listened to. By imputation he assailed the honour of members of this Government."

"That," said Mr. Cosgrave quietly, "is not true."

"I will not accept his withdrawal," retorted Mr. MacEntee.

"I am not withdrawing," said Mr. Cosgrave, "I am stating a fact."

The Minister, who was alluding to a statement by the ex-President that suggestions were being made in the country that tariffs were imposed by the Government to help their friends, was by no means satisfied. Mr. Cosgrave's speech had been in the privileged confines of the House, and the Minister now threw out a challenge.

"I challenge him to make these charges against me personally outside this House," he exclaimed furiously, "because I am a person whose honour is being impugned."

PICTURESQUE METAPHOR.

Mr. Cosgrave, who was engrossed in the study of the list of amendments to the Government's Butter Bounty Bill, thoughtfully proceeded to make notes on his amendment paper, apparently oblivious of this challenge, and the Minister after summing up the Opposition, collectively and individually, in a series of picturesque metaphors, came to what he described as the kernel of their attack, which had consisted of "seascapes of the Spanish Main laboriously painted in midnight oils" and "a juggling feat with three sixpences"—but what else?

Why was it that they did not hear what economies the Opposition would have presented had they been in office? demanded Mr. MacEntee, contemptuously.

"These personal attacks," he said, were made because they had no case against the Government. With no argument, they came to this debate with pins to scratch and squirts to bespatter."

The policy of the Cumann na nGaedheal Party, it seemed to Mr. MacEntee, would have been first to reduce the social services, but, even then, did anybody believe that they would have been able to balance the Budget without increasing the standard rate of income tax to five shillings?

Mr. Cosgrave, who had listened to a steady flow of personal attack without the slightest change of expression, apparently found this last suggestion a little too strong; for, with a long-drawn "Oh!" of surprise, he seized his papers and hurried out of the House, leaving deputies convulsed with laughter.

POOR FISH.

After another jibe at that unfortunate class, the bachelors, whom he showed only too clearly in his introductory speech that he regards as rather poor fish, Mr. MacEntee turned his lash in the direction of the sweepstakes, when he dealt with the criticisms which had been levelled at him from outside the House for his interference with the revenues of this particular source of wealth.

His answer to the charge that he had been robbing the hospitals was that, while he had to get £650,000 from this source, the consequent suffering to the hospitals would have been much less if he had done it in the way which he—who was not competent to speak for the hospitals—had originally favoured, instead of adopting the alternative plan which he had accepted at the instigation of those who were competent to speak for the hospitals.

"If you ask me," added the Minister, "is it right to take this money from the sweepstakes. I have no hesitation in saying yes." For a long time there had been considerable demand, he reminded the House, for the devotion of some of the proceeds to housing and relief, and so, fortified with Scriptural reference, he justified his action.

THE BUDGET BALANCE-SHEET.

On the much-discussed question of deficit or surplus the Opposition found Mr. MacEntee sticking to his guns. The figure of £1,400,000 which was first mentioned to the House as a prospective deficit, he announced, had been an estimate given under extreme pressure, and after it had been given it was reduced to £1,195,000 by the discovery that a certain *ex gratia* payment of £200,000 in respect of death duties had been classified as abnormal expenditure instead of normal expenditure. The reduced figure, the Minister intimated, he was standing over.

All this was leading up to Mr. MacEntee's final bombshell, which took the form of a charge that the Cosgrave Government had exhausted their credit to such an extent that they could not have borrowed again.

"When a loan of £800,000 was being initiated in September last," he asserted, "the whole question of the budgetary position of the Free State was brought into examination, and was adversely criticised. Their credit as a business Government had gone."

With a gentle apology for the Government's failure to redeem all their election pledges, Mr. MacEntee resumed his seat, and the House passed the Budget resolution by 71 votes to 59.

BOLD EXPERIMENTS ADVOCATED.

U.S. ECONOMIC SYSTEM CONDEMNED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Governor Franklin Roosevelt, who is expected to be Democratic candidate for the Presidency, last night, at Atlanta (Georgia), condemned the country's existing economic system as unsound and doomed to failure.

He advocated bold and persistent experiments to achieve the redistribution of the national income so as to prevent an economic collapse.

In future, he added, capital must be content with a smaller return, while the day's work must earn more if the modern system is to survive.

Mr. Roosevelt's demands contrast sharply with President Hoover's programme of relief, in which he opposed large bond issues by the Treasury, and advised increasing the resources of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation by £300,000,000 to be lent to "income-producing self-liquidating projects and private industry."

"We cannot squander ourselves into prosperity," Mr. Hoover declared.

MOTOR CAR BODIES.

QUESTION OF BRITISH EXPORTS.

Sir Gifford Fox (Conservative, Henley), in the House of Commons yesterday, asked the President of the Board of Trade if he would state the number of motor car bodies holding up to six persons, and of those holding over six, exported in 1930 and 1931 respectively, and how many of these were exported to the Irish Free State.

Mr. Runciman—I regret that I am unable to furnish particulars of the exports of motor car bodies, as these are not separately recorded in the trade returns of the United Kingdom.

MALARIA EPIDEMIC SPREADS.

NATIVES DYING BY THE ROADSIDE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MBABANE, SWAZILAND, Tuesday.

The malaria epidemic which broke out in Natal last month has now spread to Swaziland, where it has reached unprecedented proportions. At Mahamba hospital, where there are beds for only twenty patients, 207 malaria cases have been accommodated during the past two months, and motor cars are busily employed in picking up numbers of stricken natives, who are dropping by the roadside on their way to hospital, unable to stumble further.

The most elaborate precautions on the part of missionaries were unable to prevent 1,200 natives from dying of the epidemic in Natal last month.

JAPAN'S NATIONAL GOVERNMENT.

CHIEF PARTIES PROMISE CO-OPERATION.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

TOKIO, Tuesday.

The prospective National Government under Admiral Viscount Saito is now assured of the friendly co-operation of both the principal Japanese parties in the Lower House of Parliament.

Baron Wakatsuki, the ex-Premier and leader of the Minseito (Liberal Party) has already pledged the support of his followers, and Mr. Suzuki has now promised the support of the Seiyukai (the party of the retiring Government).

In the elections of last February the Seiyukai secured 303 seats in the Chamber, and the Minseito 146. The other 15 seats are divided between Labour (5) and one or two other small groups.

PRUSSIAN DIET'S PROBLEM.

DIFFICULTY OF FORMING A GOVERNMENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

The new Prussian Diet, in which the Nazis are easily the strongest party, with 162 seats as against only 9 in the old House, met this afternoon for half-an-hour, but the expected liveliness did not materialise.

Adolf Hitler's henchmen, who include Prince August Wilhelm, the ex-Kaiser's fourth son, were on their best behaviour, and the services of the large force of police held in readiness were not required.

The position as regards the formation of a new Government is as puzzling as ever, as the victorious Nazis, unable, even with their Right allies, to muster a majority, appear determined not to co-operate with the Catholic Centre Party except on their own terms. The indications are that the Centre-Left Coalition Cabinet, under the Socialist Premier, Herr Braun, will continue to carry on the administration until the *imbroglio* has been cleared up.

The position is that the old Government coalition have 162 seats and the Nazis and their allies 200, so that the balance of power is held by the Communists with 57 seats.

M. DOUMER'S ASSASSIN

FURTHER EXAMINATION BY MAGISTRATE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

Gorgouloff, the assassin of M. Doumer, the French President, again questioned by the examining magistrate to-day, denied that he had ever been a Bolshevik.

He admitted having worked as assistant-surgeon in a Bolshevik hospital at Ladinskaia, but said that he did so under pain of death.

Gorgouloff was answering allegations made by a Russian, Colonel Zipaloff, now resident at Sofia, who had given evidence that he knew Gorgouloff to be a prominent Bolshevik.

"Pure malice," Gorgouloff retorted.

LESS UNEMPLOYMENT IN GERMANY.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

The German unemployment returns for the first fortnight of May state that 5,675,000 persons were registered as in search of work, a reduction of 62,000 compared with the previous fortnight.

Altogether, since the middle of March, when the peak figure was reached, the total has diminished by 454,000.

AIRMAN KILLED IN CRASH.

MACHINE BURSTS INTO FLAMES.

Leading Aircraftsman William Patrick Lane was killed, and Sergeant Jack Treadwell was injured, when the machine in which they were flying nose-dived into the middle of Barton Aerodrome, Manchester, yesterday.

When the machine struck the ground it burst into flames. Members of the aerodrome staff managed to extricate Treadwell, but it was impossible to remove Lane until the flames had subsided somewhat, as he was in the first cockpit. It is believed, however, that he was dead before the machine went on fire.

It is stated that the 'plane was of the dual control type used in instructional work, and that Lane was taking a short commission course in aviation.

OPERATIONS AGAINST KURDISH REBELS.

PREPARATIONS BY BRITISH BOMBERS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BAGHDAD, Tuesday.

The R.A.F. command in Iraq are making active preparations for a resumption of the Iraq operations against the rebel Kurdish sheikh, Ahmad Barzan, the time-limit of the truce with him having expired.

Notwithstanding the Government's promise to spare the sheikh's life if he surrendered, the rebel leader apparently prefers to continue his guerrilla campaign.

There are three British bomber squadrons and one bomber transport squadron in Iraq, together with several armoured car companies or sections of companies.

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THE COUNTRY'S PERIL.

MR. McGILLIGAN'S WARNING.

TRADE BROUGHT TO A STAND-STILL.

MR P. McGILLIGAN, T.D., late Minister for Industry and Commerce, addressing a meeting of the Bray Branch of Cumann na nGaedheal last night, said that if steps had been taken to remove the Oath five years ago it would not have been so serious as it was now. At that time British politicians had been timid about taxing food going into Great Britain, but today the National Government of that country was pledged to tax imported foodstuffs. Free State produce had a ten per cent. preference which would be effective till the middle of November next, after which the agreements made at the Ottawa Conference would come into force, and this ten per cent. preference might go to twenty-five per cent. or more.

The Government of this country were sending representatives to that Conference to try and get preference for our goods in Great Britain. Did they stand any chance of getting further agreements in the teeth of the statement that Great Britain could not consider it reasonable to enter into any further agreements with this Government, which had broken its pledge?

He would not like to wager much money that the Free State would get any further agreements.

THE NEW BURDENS.

Dealing with the Budget, Mr. McGilligan said that the Government found themselves unable to carry out their promises of reduced taxation, but, instead, they had put on the people of this country imposts which would gather in not less than four millions of money. At the same time, the Government which did that was setting out to annoy and aggravate the people on whom the Free State depended to purchase their surplus produce. Mr. de Valera's Government was getting into the mess of high tariff walls, which the countries of the rest of the world were now endeavouring with all their might to get out of.

"INFLATION."

In the Budget, said Mr. McGilligan, there was an approach to inflation. Inflation had failed in Germany, France and America, and the tax placed on reissued bank notes would result in the issue of more notes than the trade of the country would require, and that meant inflation. This was the first breath of inflation. They might get a full breath of the inflation policy, and if they did they were going in for the worst possible experiment that any country had ever resorted to.

CALL TO THE COUNTRY.

Concluding, Mr. McGilligan said that these tariffs, high taxes upon industry, the attempt at inflation, the whole political atmosphere, the annoyance and the trouble that was being given to our best customer, had created a situation in which business and trade are almost entirely at a standstill.

Unless the effects of these imposts come quickly, so as to make the people realise what they meant and cause them to rally around some party that would overthrow the present Government, there would not be anything worth saving in the wreck that these people would make of the country.

The O'Mahony, T.D., said that he was sure they all sympathised with Lord Powerscourt, who, owing to the increased taxation, was compelled to sell his residence. The financial restriction might cause many others to leave the country, and if they left it this time they would never come back.

Mr. J. J. L. Murphy, solicitor, presided.

50 YEARS IN SERVICE OF THE CHURCH.

ANGLICAN ARCHBISHOP RESIGNS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

TORONTO, Tuesday.

After having spent more than half a century in the service of the Anglican Church of Canada, Archbishop Sweeney, of the Metropolitan Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario, announces his resignation, owing to infirmities due to age.

Archbishop Sweeney, who is London born, was ordained at Montreal in 1880, and appointed Archbishop of Toronto in 1909.

SHANNON SCHEME.

THE DEVELOPMENT FUND.

A White Paper was laid on the table of the Dail yesterday showing the receipts and payments from the Shannon Power Development Fund (Section II. of the Shannon Electricity Act, 1925) to the 31st March, 1931.

Of the receipts, advanced from the Central Fund totalled £5,710,750; redemption on bills paid by contractors, £600,000; interest paid by contractors on extended bill, £2,367; from the Electricity Supply Board in respect of extra works carried out at the Board's request, £160,305.

The grand totals of payments under various heads were as follows:—

Sums advanced to contractor on security of bills	£600,000
Civil construction	3,042,846
Electrical construction	2,152,660
General charges	677,549
Balances	810
Grand total	£6,473,865

NEW IRISH COMPANIES.

The following new companies have been registered in Ireland:—

The Dublin Industrial Trust, Ltd. Nominal capital, £30,000, divided into 40,000 "A" shares of 5s. each, and 20,000 "B" shares of £1 each.

It is understood that the company intends to start a laundry business at Donore avenue, South Circular road.

Names and descriptions of subscribers to memorandum and articles of association, with number of shares subscribed for:—John McGivern, 69 Jones's road, Dublin, manufacturing confectioner, 1,000 "A" shares; Richard Joseph Duggan, Wilton, Merrion road, Dublin, commission agent, 1,000 "A" shares; Peter Paul McMenamin, Gortnamoe, 26 Seafield road, Clontarf, Dublin, esquire, 1,000 "A" shares; William Francis Cullen, Belgrave House, 20 North Circular road, Dublin, wholesale confectioner, 1,000 "A" shares; Jerome Joseph O'Sullivan, 10 Mayfield road, Terenure, Dublin, wholesale sugar merchant, 1,000 "A" shares; David Coyle, 30 Herbert Park, Ballsbridge, Dublin, wholesale tea merchant, 1,000 "A" shares; Louis Norbert Fitzpatrick, 7 Cliftonville road, Glasnevin, Dublin, company secretary, 250 "A" shares.

Frederick Riddell and Sons, Ltd., 177 Antrim road, Belfast. Normal capital £3,000, divided into 3,000 shares of £1 each. Names and descriptions of subscribers to memorandum and articles of association:—Frederick Riddell (sen.), Frederick Riddell (jun.) and David R. Riddell, all sanitary engineers, of 177 Antrim road, Belfast.

Henry Cole, Ltd. Nominal capital £5,000, divided into 5,000 shares of £1 each. Subscribers of one share each:—Maurice Tarlo, 2-8 Cole lane, Dublin, manufacturer, and Bridget M. Hogan, of "Tower View," Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin, bookkeeper.

Jamison and Co. (Lisburn), Ltd. Nominal capital £500, divided into 500 shares of £1 each. Subscribers of one share each:—John Jamison, building contractor, and James Jamison, oils traveller, both of Ferndale, Antrim road, Lisburn.

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A PUBLIC REBUKE IN COURT.

JUDGE CRITICISES LORD OF APPEAL.

M.P. MOVES DISCUSSION IN COMMONS.

MAJOR DESPENCER-ROBERTSON, Conservative M.P. for Salisbury, has placed the following resolution on the Order Paper of the House of Commons for discussion on "an early day":—

"That the criticism of Lord Justice Scrutton by Mr. Justice McCardie is regrettable conduct on the part of one of His Majesty's judges, and is calculated to lower the prestige of the Judicature."

Major Despencer-Robertson said last night to a correspondent: "I have put down this motion because I think to-day's incident is most unfortunate, and is calculated to bring the Judicial Bench into disrepute. I imagine that, if Mr. Justice McCardie has any special grievance, there are special ways in which he may ventilate it. But to make a public statement, such as he has made, is, certainly, beneath the dignity of a judge."

Major Despencer-Robertson's resolution cannot be discussed by the House unless the Government provides facilities, all the time of the House having been appropriated for Government business. In arriving at a decision the Government will be influenced by the measure of support behind the demand for a discussion. If a large number of members put their names to the motion the Government would probably bring the matter to debate, but otherwise the motion would be ignored as merely an individual expression of opinion.

The conduct of judges of the Superior Courts is not open to debate in Parliament, except upon a substantive motion. This rule applies also to the Sovereign, the Heir to the Throne, the Speaker, and Governors-General of the Dominions. Judges are removable upon an address to the Crown made by both Houses of Parliament, and the ground of proceedings by address may be the petition of an individual, the motion of a member, or the report of a Select Committee appointed in consequence of a petition or motion.

Apart from this Parliamentary control, the Crown itself possesses a power of removal. In 1830 Sir Jonah Barrington, a judge in the Court of Admiralty in Ireland, was deprived of his office upon the petition of both Houses of Parliament.

WHAT JUDGE SAID.

Mr. Justice McCardie, in the King's Bench, London, yesterday, administered what he described as a public rebuke to Lord Justice Scrutton, who presides over one of the Courts of Appeal.

Before a case he was trying began, Mr. Justice McCardie said that if there was an appeal he should not supply any copy of his notes until he was satisfied that Lord Justice Scrutton would not be a member of the court which tried the appeal. If necessary, he would mention later the reasons which led him to make this statement.

It will be recalled that, in giving judgment in the Appeal Court in the Cambridge wife enticement case, allowing the appeal against Mr. Justice McCardie's judgment, Lord Justice Scrutton said the less sociological knowledge brought into the discussion of legal questions the better.

DUBLIN OPERATIC COMPANY.

"L'ELISIR D'AMORE."

Nemorino	William J. Hobbs
Belcore	Michael J. Gallagher
Dulcamara	Victor Stephen
Giametta	Winifred Telfer
Adina	Mamie Dingle

THE name of "L'Elisir d'Amore" has been known to most of us in the past chiefly as that of the opera to which that popular tenor aria, "*Una furtiva lagrima*," belongs. That aria, one of the most beautiful of Donizetti's melodies, occurs in the splendid third act of "L'Elisir d'Amore," and it may as well be said right away that Mr. W. J. Hobbs, taking the leading tenor *rôle* in the Dublin Operatic Society's production of the opera last night, deservedly received an encore for a sweetly voiced and tenderly phrased singing of it.

It is a melody of the type that makes the success of an opera. Opera production a century ago was something of a gamble. Sometimes the composer himself could not be sure that a work which he had completed contained an air that would catch the public fancy, or give a favourite singer an opportunity of special success. Sometimes, again, an opera that had failed dismally at first achieved sudden success through the addition of such a melody. Donizetti had many such experiences in the course of his busy career as an opera writer.

Opera *libretti* were produced in much the same way as we may suppose scenarios to be produced for Hollywood film-makers today. Their value lay in the extent to which they provided good scope for vocal "stars."

The "book" of "L'Elisir d'Amore" is rather a silly one, and before Donizetti used it the story had served another successful composer of operas, Auber, as material for a frankly comic work. Donizetti's work was given first production at Milan, just one hundred years ago. It was a very good choice for the Dublin Operatic Society to make for the subject of one of its productions this season.

THE PRINCIPALS.

Besides Mr. Hobbs, proving himself able to move easily in the flowing melodies, given to the part of the rustic wooer, Nemorino, there was available Miss Mamie Dingle, whose Lucia, in the Society's earlier production of a more famous opera of Donizetti's, marked her out for the part of the coy country lass, Adina. These artists might well display more confidence in their own abilities. Donizetti's principal parts want to be sung with plenty of flourish, and in the Italian manner, from the front of the stage.

Mr. Michael Gallagher was the member of the cast who did most to set the performance rolling along well. In the part of the amorous sergeant he swaggered freely about the stage, and gave us sonorous full-toned singing. Mr. Victor Stephen backed him up, in another style, by comic touches given to the part of the doctor who obligingly provides a love-philtre.

"L'Elisir d'Amore" provides plenty of good opportunities for the Society's excellent chorus, and there were many splendid *ensemble* moments.

On the whole, the production can be regarded as another feather in Maestro Viani's cap.

OBBLIGATO.

FRENCH POLITICAL CONFERENCE.

PARTY LEADERS MEET THE PRESIDENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

A political conference of vital significance to Europe took place here in the Elysees Palace to-day when the President of the Republic, M. Lebrun, received MM. Tardieu, Flandin and M. Herriot, heir-presumptive to the Premiership.

The object of the discussion was to put M. Herriot *au courant* with the problems with which France is faced in foreign affairs and home finance.

M. Herriot arrived first, and had twenty minutes' conversation with the President before M. Tardieu reached the Elysee.

The President's conference lasted two hours, and MM. Tardieu, Herriot and Flandin all bound themselves to secrecy regarding the discussions.

An official *communiqué* was issued, stating that MM. Tardieu and Flandin furnished M. Herriot with all the data necessary to form an appreciation of the international and financial problems which face the country. To-morrow they will place various State documents at his disposal.

DERBY "SWEEP" FEATURES.

BIG PRIZE FUND ESTIMATE.

CASE OF UNPLACED HORSES.

IF the Hospitals' Trusts' arrangements for the mixing of counterfoils of tickets in the Derby Sweepstake had not been affected by the overwhelming rush of subscriptions in the final week, the mixing process would have started yesterday, and been completed to-morrow. The mixing now will be begun on Friday, and it is hoped to complete the process by Saturday night.

The original provision was for three days' mixing; now, however, it is hoped that the work may be completed in two days. This does not mean that the counterfoils will be less thoroughly mixed than was at first designed. The mixing process is not a matter of time, but of sufficiency. The work of the mixing machines now will be so intensified that in the two days there will be such a whirling of the counterfoils under high air pressure, and such a sufficient interchanging of the little slips from one machine to another, that on Saturday night there will be nothing left to do but to put them into the big drum, in readiness for Monday's draw.

AN ARMED ESCORT.

On Friday morning the counterfoils, in sealed boxes, will be conveyed from Earlsfort terrace on a big lorry under an armed escort of Civic Guards, who will accompany the lorry on motor cycles and in cars.

At the Plaza, in Abbey street, 200 girls attired as jockeys, will take possession of the sealed boxes, carry them to the mixing machines, and at once begin the mixing process, which will continue till the process is complete.

For fixed periods of about an hour and a half each, at stated intervals, a limited number of subscribers will be admitted to the mixing rooms to view the female staff at their work. The jockey costumes worn by these girls will represent the racing colours of some two hundred racehorse owners of the world. The owners' names are given, numbered on a programme, which will be distributed to visitors. Each girl will wear an armlet displaying in large figures a number corresponding with a number on the programme, and her colours will be those of the particular owner whose name and country is printed after his number. Colours and owners thus may be known and identified.

AN ENORMOUS TOTAL.

Speculation at the moment is all concerned with the amount of the Derby Sweepstake as compared with others. Officials of the Trust are very vague on this point. One of them yesterday committed himself to the answer that it was "marvellous," while another, asked if the prize money would reach to 25 units, replied: "You may say that."

It has been estimated that nearly ten million counterfoils will go into the big drum—that nearly £5,000,000 has been subscribed to make the sum of this stupendous Sweepstake £3,000,000, or 30 units of £100,000 each would thus be distributable as prize money.

MANY PRIZES.

An outstanding feature of this Sweepstake will be the small number of horses' names that will go into the crystal drum. On the occasion of the last Derby thirty-three horses were included in the final acceptances. This year there is likely to be less than half that number. This fact is regarded as a complete answer to the critics who at one time complained that the sweepstakes would have a tendency unduly to increase the number of competing horses in a race, and that even "crocks" would come into the field through the influence of "sweep" prize money.

POSSIBLE STARTERS.

It may be found to-day that when the final acceptances for the Derby, 1932, are made known no more than sixteen horses are listed to start on Wednesday next. Last night a speculative list of eighteen horses was mentioned, one being given as "doubtful." There may be other doubtful horses. If the final acceptances, to be published to-day, do number up to eighteen, this will mean enormous prize-money for every unplaced horse. With eighteen running there would be fifteen unplaced horses, and each one would be worth £2,333 5s. 8d. to subscribers whose tickets have been drawn together with a horse-name from the crystal drum. If this sweepstake justifies the most hopeful estimates, over a million of money will be divided among drawers of horses which do not win a place in the race, and three thousand persons will receive consolation prizes of £100 each.

It is announced that £160,500 has been handed in at the Cork offices of the Hospitals Trust. This exceeds the takings for the last sweep by £40,000.

THE CONFERENCE AT OTTAWA.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT AND RESULTS.

Nearly five hundred guests assembled at the annual Empire Day dinner of the Royal Empire Society at the Connaught Rooms, London, last night, under the chairmanship of the President of the Society, the Duke of Connaught.

The guests included Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade; Lord Lovat, Mr. J. H. Thomas, Dominions Secretary; Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, Colonial Secretary; Sir Herbert Samuel, Home Secretary; and Sir Donald Maclean, President of the Board of Education.

THE PROSPECT.

The Duke of Connaught, in his speech, dealt particularly with the forthcoming Ottawa Conference. He said: "I, for one, foresee the prospect of a great result from this meeting of the British Commonwealth of Nations. Much is expected of it, but we must not look for a spectacular result. All that we can hope is that it may lay the stable foundation on which future Conferences may be based.

"The Conference is an opportunity to discover ways and means by which each part of the Empire can promote the prosperity of the whole, to stop the separatist drift, and to set the course towards a new unity, based on free co-operation. I think our Government has a great opportunity of doing wonderful and lasting work, and I am sure that we all wish them every success." (Cheers.)

THE PAYMENT OF DEBTS.

The Premier of Victoria, responding to the toast of "A United Empire," said that Australians were making great sacrifices to pay their way, but the war liability was crushing them, as it was crushing Europe. Australia could not pay interest on money that Britain had lent, and could not pay for British manufactures in gold.

The United Empire was jeopardised, said Mr. Hogan, if any of its parts could not pay its bills in gold or British sterling, but if the part of the Empire could pay in wheat, wool, meat, etc., the preservation of the United Empire necessitated that those goods be accepted in payment. If that policy were admitted by the British Government, increased trade and a return to prosperity within the Empire would be expedited and a more closely-united Empire would follow its adoption as surely as sunshine follows rain.

If run down, friend of mine, try a course of "Bermaline."—Advt.

HALF-CROWN FOR FOURPENCE.

MARRIED WOMEN'S BENEFITS.

THE NORTHERN HEALTH INSURANCE FUND.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

VISCOUNT CHARLEMONT, moving the second reading of the National Health Insurance and Contributory Pensions Bill in the Northern Senate to-day, said that the recent valuation of the assets and liabilities of approved societies disclosed that during the five years from 1924 to 1929 covered by the valuation there had been, on the one hand, a steady drop in the contribution income of approved societies, due to unemployment, and on the other hand, a steady increased in claims. Both factors had altered since 1928, and the Government Actuary had advised that the scheme was no longer able to bear the strain imposed upon it. It was, therefore, necessary to take immediate steps to restore its financial stability.

A careful analysis had revealed that the principal cause of loss was the very high rate of claims experienced among insured women, and particularly married women. It was estimated that the loss on the insurance of women had been higher in Northern Ireland than in Great Britain. The Government Actuary had advised that it would be possible to restore stability by reducing the rates of benefit paid to women in the following manner:—Disablement benefit for single women and widows from 7s. 6d. a week to 6s. a week; sickness benefit for married women from 12s. a week to 10s., and disablement benefit for married women from 7s. 6d. a week to 5s. a week. Unemployed members had been relieved of the necessity of making any payments, but the Actuary had advised that it would be necessary to revert to the old principle, and to require members to make some payment themselves in respect of their arrears of contributions if they wished to retain their title to full benefits. Societies would be called on to bear half the loss of income due to unemployment. Steps were being taken to preserve for a further period the contributory pension rights of genuinely unemployed persons who satisfy certain insurance tests.

BETTER THAN LLOYD GEORGE.

The Minister of Labour (the Right Hon. J. M. Andrews) said that it became quite clear after the last valuation that the Health Insurance Fund was not upon a sound foundation, and that some change would have to be made. It was found that, while the men contributors were paying their way, the women, and particularly married women, were not. Men in Northern Ireland were drawing out of the Societies £1 2s. 0d. per head per annum, single women £1 5s. 0d. per head per annum, and married women had been drawing no less than £5 4s. 0d. per head per annum. When Mr. Lloyd George introduced this scheme he promised 9d. for 4d. In Northern Ireland of late married women were getting 2s. 6d. for 4d.

"My difficulty in connection with these social services," he proceeded, "is that, on the one hand, I am told they are costing far too much and more than Northern Ireland can afford and, on the other hand, I was told that we are not spending enough, with the result that there is great hardship amongst a great many of our people."

Northern Ireland was spending £5,635,000 in connection with these social services, and considering that the total expenditure of Northern Ireland was between eight and nine millions, it showed what a very large proportion of the expenditure in Northern Ireland is spent in connection with these services. Personally, he felt that it was right that this should be so, and his colleagues in the Cabinet all shared that view.

The bill was read a second time.

OBITUARY.

MR. MICHAEL DAWSON.

The death occurred at his residence on Monday, after two days' illness, of Mr. Michael Dawson, solicitor, 3, Highfield road, Rathgar, Dublin. Mr. Dawson had been in his usual health, and was playing golf up to the week-end, when he contracted pneumonia. He was the third son of the late Charles Dawson, who was twice Lord Mayor of Dublin, and played an important *rôle* in the municipal life of the city for half a century. Educated by the Marist Fathers, Lower Leeson street, Mr. Michael Dawson took up law, and qualified as a solicitor in 1906. He practised as a partner in the firm of Messrs. Neilson and Co., Fleet street; then went into partnership with Mr. P. J. Brady, solicitor, of Molesworth street, and later was with Mr. Peart, solicitor, Dawson street. He was for five years Professor of Law to the Incorporated Law Society. Last year he was appointed Examiner in Title in the Land Commission, and held that post at the time of his death. He was very popular in his profession and in social circles, and the deep sympathy of a wide circle of friends will go out to his widow and three children in their bereavement. The funeral takes place this morning after 9 o'clock Mass at the Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar.

LIEUT.-COL. THE RIGHT HON. R. D. PERCIVALL-MAXWELL.

The death is announced of Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Hon. Robert David Percivall-Maxwell, of Finnebrogue, Downpatrick, County Down. He died following a surgical operation in a Belfast nursing home on Monday last at the age of fifty-two years. He was a Deputy Lieutenant for County Down, and filled the office of Sheriff during the year 1911. The son of the late Mr. J. W. Purcell-Maxwell, he was born at Moore Hill, County Waterford, and educated at Eton. He served with the North of Ireland Imperial Yeomanry in the South African War and with the Ulster Division in the Great War, when he was decorated with the D.S.O. Colonel Percivall-Maxwell was a Senator in the Northern Parliament from 1921 to 1925. He was a member of the Ulster Unionist Council and Royal Ulster Agricultural Society.

DR. W. M. WADE.

Dr. William Moore Wade, whose death occurred at Tullamore at the age of fifty-five years, was son of the late Mr. William R. Wade, land agent, Tullamore. Dr. Wade entered the British Medical Service in West Africa, where he spent about twenty years, and returning home some years ago engaged in private practice. He was brother of Mr. George Wade, manager, Bank of Ireland, Mitchelstown.

SIR JOHN LANCELOT STIRLING.

Sir John Lancelot Stirling, whose death at the age of eighty-two is announced by *The Times* Adelaide Correspondent, had been President of the South Australian Legislative Council for over thirty years.

OPENING OF BRANCH FACTORIES.

CROSS-CHANNEL FIRMS AND THE TARIFFS.

In order to overcome the tariff wall several cross-Channel firms have definitely made arrangements for the opening of branch factories or packing-houses in the Irish Free State. Most of these will be located in Dublin and district, and it is expected that considerable employment will result.

Among the businesses to be introduced in this way are the packing of corn-flour, tea, beef extract and other foodstuffs affected chiefly by the packet tax.

A large firm of clothing manufacturers has secured a site for a new factory, which is expected to afford employment to three hundred workers within six months, and six hundred within a year. In this connection it is stated that, except for some experts from England, all the employés will be Irish.

In addition, Messrs. Battersby and Co., Westmoreland street, Dublin, have received fifteen inquiries with regard to premises from other firms who are anxious to retain their Irish Free State trade.

It is announced by Messrs. Carr and Son, blacking and polish manufacturers, that, consequent on the recent Budget taxes, they are arranging to open a factory in Dublin, and meanwhile they are paying the duty.

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PILGRIMS FROM AMERICA.

TWO LARGE PARTIES FOR CONGRESS.

CARDINAL HAYES, on his visit to Ireland for the Eucharistic Congress, will bring a number of pilgrims from New York State, including representatives of many of the confraternities, Catholic clubs, and Catholic societies throughout his own diocese.

In his party will be the Right Rev. John J. Dunn, Auxiliary Bishop of New York, and, it is hoped, the Right Rev. Mgr. Lavelle, of St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York, who will be the guest of the Right Rev. Mgr. Cummins.

Cardinal Hayes was born in New York about 56 years ago, and has always taken a deep interest in the home of his parents. He was educated at the Christian Brothers' Schools, and graduated at Manhattan College, New York. Shortly after being ordained he was made private secretary to the late Cardinal Farley. On the death of that prelate he was appointed pastor of St. Gabriel's, East 28th Street, New York. He has always taken a practical interest in the education of Catholic youth, and was mainly responsible for the foundation of the great Catholic High School for Girls.

On account of his success as an organiser and administrator, Cardinal Hayes was called "the Cardinal of Charities" by the Pope when receiving the Red Hat.

For the various orphanages, hospitals, homes, schools, and playgrounds with which he is connected, Cardinal Hayes collects each year over one million dollars. The administrative work in connection with these is carried out in a special building in Madison avenue, New York, where nearly a thousand clerks are employed.

Cardinal Hayes is also Chief Director of the Holy Name Society, for policemen, letter-carriers and fire-fighters. It is not unusual to see 3,000 policemen at early Mass in St. Patrick's, New York, receiving Holy Communion.

The Right Rev. Dr. O'Reilly, Bishop of Scranton, Pennsylvania, will bring a pilgrim age party of 800, who will travel from New York by the liner Lancastria.

After the Congress ceremonies some of the party will visit different parts of Ireland, while others will visit France and Italy.

ARCHITECTS' ADVICE.

THE NEED OF EXPERTS.

The Council of the Royal Institute of Architects of Ireland has circulated the following letter to all Public Authorities concerned in the Free State:—

Dear Sir,—A deputation of members of the Council of this Institute recently awaited on the Minister for Local Government and Public Health for the purpose of placing before him their views on the necessity of securing that only qualified architects are employed in the design and supervision of building work carried out by Public Bodies. The Minister concurred generally in the views of the deputation, and expressed the opinion that it would be desirable for this Institute to keep in closer touch with Public Bodies for the purpose of assisting and advising on these matters.

The views of the Institute are as follows:—In the designing of building schemes of an institutional character four main considerations present themselves—viz., 1, building cost; 2, maintenance charges; 3, easy and economical administration; 4, agreeable external and internal appearance.

Building cost is largely influenced by skilful planning as well as by simplicity of design and omission of unnecessary ornament. The maximum of effective floor area, as compared with total floor area, and the provision of adequate light and air can only be achieved by skilful planning on economic lines.

Low maintenance charge can be secured by sound construction with suitable materials (of Irish manufacture wherever practicable) properly carried out under careful supervision.

Efficient administration, with a minimum staff, is possible only where due consideration has been given to the convenient relative location of the various apartments.

It is not an uncommon fault for inexperienced persons to indulge in undue elaboration for their buildings. This does not necessarily constitute good architecture. On the contrary, simplicity of design, combined with good proportions, invariably produces the best results.

It will be obvious that only those who have had adequate training are competent to undertake the design of buildings involving planning and design of a highly technical nature, and that, in the public interest, only ing schemes, to secure the best results for carry out such work.

My Council feel that it is the desire of all public bodies, when embarking or building schmess, to secure the best results for the moneys placed at their disposal, and they have directed me to lay their views, as set out above, before you in order to emphasise the necessity for sound professional advice from the outset if that desire is to be fulfilled.

Should you at any time require advice or guidance in this matter, my Council will be most happy to assist you in every possible way.—Yours faithfully,

LOUIS J. GIBSON, Hon. Secretary.

FINANCE BILL.

REMOVALS FROM FREE LIST.

INCOME TAX ON PENSIONS.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

WESTMINSTER, Tuesday.

When the House of Commons to-day resumed discussion of the Finance Bill in Committee, there was a long debate before Clause 6, which gives power to the Advisory Committee to recommend the removal of commodities from the free list was added to commodities from the free list, was added to

Mr. Thomas Williams described the proposal as unconstitutional and unworthy of a Government which called itself national.

Mr. H. G. Williams approved of the clause, because it contained the principle of flexibility, and enabled the Committee to determine whether goods should be on or off the free list, strictly on the merits of the case.

Mr. Rhys Davies invited the President of the Board of Trade to explain to the House what actually were the relations between the Government and the Advisory Committee. Would the Committee advise the Treasury, or the Treasury advice the Committee? This clause, he said, was another instance of the way in which the work of Parliament was being delegated to outside bodies.

Major Eliot replied that a recommendation of the Advisory Committee could only be carried into effect by a direct vote of the House of Commons. If the Government desired to make out a case for a duty it would have to come before the House of Commons, and then would be the time to consider arguments for and against.

Mr. Pickering said that the passing of this clause might well prove to be the swan song of democratic government.

Mr. G. Mander, another Liberal, was also opposed to the clause.

Sir Stafford Cripps said that the clause introduced an entirely new and revolutionary principle, and it was one which the Government would live to regret.

The clause was carried by 341 votes to 61.

Mr. Croom-Johnson (Conservative) moved the omission of the clause which provides that pensions, whether voluntary or otherwise, should be liable to income tax. He said that they were introducing a new and quite exceptional principle, which ought to be further explained. The amendment had the support of Sir H. M. Samuel, who said that if this tax was imposed on the person who received the pension, it should be taken off the person who paid it, otherwise the revenue would get a double tax.

Sir William Davison, supporting the amendment, said that the clause altered the whole basis on which income tax was levied. Tax was only supposed to be imposed on income, and the Courts had laid it down that pensions were not income.

Sir Thomas Inskip (Attorney-General), on the other hand, contended that a voluntary pension, or annual payment, had always been regarded as liable to the tax. He instanced the case of a company director who held a controlling interest. He might vote himself a substantial pension and resign, and so escape income tax.

The clause was agreed to without a division.

The clause, which deals with the national debt, was added to the bill, and the House adjourned.

D.W.D. 15 years OLD MAKES THIRST A JOY. DECANTER bottles and HIP POCKET FLASKS.—(Advt.)

AUSTRALIA AND OTTAWA.

MR. BRUCE AND BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE.

The Times Canberra Correspondent telegraphed yesterday:—

Replying to the Supply Bill debate in the House of Representatives, Mr. Bruce said that it was impossible to have an open discussion on the question likely to arise at the Ottawa Conference.

He regretted, he continued, to hear one member read a telegraphed message from London suggesting that Great Britain would "adopt a dictatorial attitude" at the Conference. He felt certain that that was not the British Government's attitude. Even if it was, he could assure the House that it was certainly not one that the Australian Government would accept. The Government was at present in close touch with Great Britain concerning suggestions for preferential tariffs.

In a message from Adelaide yesterday *The Times* Correspondent says:—At the request of the Federal Government, the services of the South Australian Trade Commissioner in London (Mr. McCann) have been made available to the Australian delegation to Ottawa for advice on the subject of meat.

Mr. Hill, the Premier, in a broadcast speech, said that the outlook for Australia in that respect was serious because of the bitter opposition of Argentina to British tariff preferences on primary products.

THE COMING OF ST. PATRICK.

COMMEMORATION IN KILDARE.

CATHEDRAL SERVICE'S DUAL PURPOSE.

FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.

KILDARE, Tuesday.

THE ancient Cathedral of St. Brigid, Kildare, was to-day the venue of a most inspiring Service, which represented a dual purpose. It was a commemoration Service of the fifteen-hundredth anniversary of the coming of St. Patrick to the Irish people, and it was the annual diocesan choral festival. The flag of St. Patrick floated from the tower.

CROWDED CONGREGATION.

It was a remarkable Service, in as much as though held at 3.15 p.m.—a time when farmers and merchants were busy—the cathedral was unable comfortably to accommodate the great congregation, and many had to be content with standing room.

The Archbishop of Dublin and Bishop of Glendalough and Kildare occupied his seat upon the throne, and about fifty clergy attended in their robes. The Rev. Canon Drury, Rector of Raheny, Dublin, presided at the organ; and the Rev. Precentor D. F. R. Wilson, St. Mary's, Donnybrook, Dublin, intoned the Service.

The processional hymns were "Christ is the World's Redeemer," and "Lift Thy Banner, Church of Erin." The first lesson was read by the Rev. P. W. Coster, and the second lesson by the Rev. Canon Kitching. The *Magnificat* and *Nunc Dimittis* were sung to the setting by Dr. George H. F. Hewson, organist of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin. The first anthem was "The Breastplate of St. Patrick," to the music of T. R. G. Joze, Mus.Doc., and the second anthem was "And I Saw Another Angel" (C. V. Stanford, Mus.Doc.). Other hymns sung were: "It Were My Soul's Desire," "Look, ye saints, the Sight is Glorious," "I Vow to Thee, My Country," and "O God, Our Help in Ages Past." The concluding prayers were said by the Archbishop, who also pronounced the Benediction.

THE SERMON.

The Right Rev. F. C. N. Hicks, D.D., Bishop of Gibraltar, was the preacher. He took as his text: "It is God Who said light shall shine out of darkness, and shine in our hearts, giving the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ" (2nd Corinthians, 4th Chapter, 6th verse).

In the course of his sermon Dr. Hicks said that a great Service like that was its own sermon. It was clear that they could have no effort to make music of any account—still less Church music, which must always be for the glory of God—unless they had individual work, each person in his or her place taking part in a greater whole, the object of which was the combined result. That object could not be attained unless every individual did his part, and that part should be in combination with the other parts. No choir, however small, could ever work, except on these lines. That was a picture of how, in the Christian life, in social life, in the life of the Church, the life of the nation, and in the life of every organisation, each individual had a place to fill and a duty to perform.

MEANING OF THE SERVICE.

The Service that day was the embodiment of the whole power and message of the life of the Church. It was not an ordinary diocesan choral festival; it was the fifteen hundredth anniversary of the landing of St. Patrick which was being celebrated there and across the seas. The power and inspiration of St. Patrick's life and light would remain with them as the Church went on, unfolding, expanding, bearing witness or, if need be, its cross in the centuries to come.

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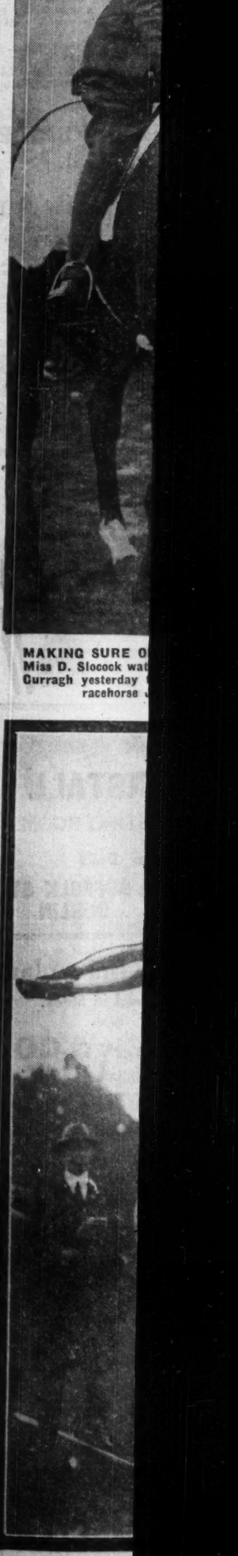


UP AND OVER.

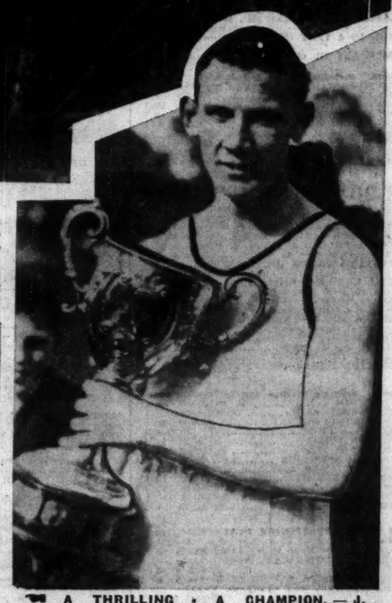
ROYAL TOURNAMENT : CURRAGH RACES : COLLEGE SPORTS

THE CHARGE.—The Queen's Bays (2nd Dragoon Guards) in the final rehearsal of their spectacular performance for the forthcoming Royal Tournament.

NEW IRISH CONTRALTO. — Miss Dorothy Gill as Katisha in "The Mikado," which the D'Oyly Carte Opera Company is presenting during its season, starting next week, at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin.

MAKING SURE OF A GOOD VIEW.—Miss D. Slocock watching the races at the Curragh yesterday from the back of the racehorse Jack's Hope.

OVER TO WIN. — Mr. A. D. Comyn's Wandering Wing leading Mr. R. H. Walker's Regained over the last hurdle in the Harristown Plate.



A THRILLING "STUNT." — Motor cycle despatch riders rehearsing their trick-riding display in preparation for the Olympia Tournament, which opens to-day.

UP AND OVER.—F. Lahiffe clearing the lath in the junior pole vault—which he won—at Blackrock College Sports.

THE FIRST "HOME."—The finish of the quarter-mile, won by Scott, the Colleges champion, at Blackrock College Sports.

A CHAMPION. — J. Scott (an Irish Colleges champion), winner of the President's Cup for the quarter-mile at Blackrock College Sports yesterday. He also won the 100 yards.

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LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, May 25.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH.
(The Supreme Court.)

The Court will sit (not before 12 o'clock) to hear applications as to the listing pending appeals. For Hearing. Appeals—J. L. Smallman, Ltd., v. Castle.

AN CLARATHOIR DO'N PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH
(The Registrar to the Chief Justice.)

Before Dr. Webb, Assistant Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Mahon, minors; O'Beirne, minors; Governey, minors; Cobbe, minors; Carroll, minors.

Before Mr. Magahan, at 11 o'clock—McIntosh, minors.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 5 (at the conclusion of Bencher's Meeting). For Judgment—Staples' Trust, Pits-Herbert v. Midland Bank (Exor. and Tree.) Co., Ltd. For Hearing. Motion—Co.'s (Consoln.) Act, 1908, and Morgan, Ltd. (part heard). For Thursday, 26th May, at 11 o'clock. Action—Harris v. Lambert.

In Court 4—Ex Parte Motions. For Thursday, 26th May. In Court No. 1, at 11 o'clock. Case Stated—Leon P. O'Broin, compint., Henry Cox, defdt. Withdrawn Circuit Appeals—Bannon v. Blake (Eastern), Spillers and Baker, Ltd., McLynskey (Western). For Hearing. South-Western Circuit—O'Connor v. O'Halloran and anor. (W. C. A.). Eastern Circuit—Bolger v. Flood. Western Circuit—Duffy v. McCann; King v. Gallagher.

TRIALS BY JURY.

In Court 1. For Monday, 30th May, and subsequent days. Jury—Stafford v. Harkins (personal injuries); Nolan (Maura) v. Gordon's Motor Services (1928), Ltd. (personal injuries); Nolan (James) v. same (personal injuries); Nolan (Kitty) v. same (personal injuries); Hallahan v. Duggan (slander); Roche (Bridget-Mary) v. D.U.T. Co. (1896), Ltd. (personal injuries); Roche (Patricia) v. same (personal injuries); Liston and anor. v. Ryan (Probate); Shanahan v. Murphy (personal injuries); Edgill v. Cullen (personal injuries); Ewart v. the Polytechnic Touring Association (personal injuries); Power and anor. v. Power (Probate); Byrne v. D.U.T. Co. (1896), Ltd. (personal injuries); Kane v. Moran (personal injuries); Clapp v. D.U.T. Co. (1896), Ltd., (personal injuries); Bibby v. Carroll (Lord Campbell's Act) Cleeve v. G.S. Rlys. (Lord Campbell's Act); Bourke and anor. v. Tipperary County Council (negligence).

MHAISTIR NA h-ARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

Before the Master, at 11 o'clock. Motions of Course. Summonses—De Roiste de Courcenay v. Going; the National Bank, Ltd., v. Kavanagh; same v. Brady; Odell v. the Trustee Act, 1893; Cahalan v. same; the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland v. the Rector and Churchwardens of Monaghan Parish; Butler v. Stokes; Settled Land Acts and Usher; Walker v. O'Brien; Maher v. Maher; Vendor and Purchaser Act, 1874, Healy v. Hughes; Stirling, Cockle and Ashley, Ltd., v. Groome; the National Bank, Ltd., v. Hayes; the Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Flanagan; Barron-Pearson Engineering Co., Ltd., v. Kiernan; the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Bourke; Hemingway v. Cherrick; Finn v. Finn; the Bank of Ireland v. O'Dwyer; same v. Dwyer; Talbot v. Harold; Magwood v. Murphy; the Cobh Urban District Co. v. Queenstown Dry Docks Shipping and Engineering Co., Ltd

On Notice—The Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Cleary; O'Grady v. Brody; the Revenue Commissioners v. Daniel Harman; same v. Mary A. Harman; same v. Cahill; same v. O'Grady; same v. Ashmore; same v. O'Brien; same v. Ronaldson.

OFFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA.
(The Taxing Master's Office.)

Master Denning, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte Taxations—Governey (minors), J. J. Duggan; same, F. V. Gordon; Hadden v. McLoughlin, C. B. W. Boyle.

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock—Burke v. Donovan, J. R. Powell and Son; Arthur's Estate, E. and G. Stapleton; O'Malley v. Irish Omnibus Co., A. O'Hagan and Sons; same v. same, A. O'Hagan and Sons; Connellan v. Arnott, Casey, Clay and Collins; James Dowling, bankrupt, A. Cox; same, C. R. W. Boyle; arrangement, A. Cox; Davern v. Hackett, W. L. Ryan; Byrne, decd., J. H. McCarroll and Co.; McKeogh v. Murnane, J. J. Dundon; Scanlan to Bass, P. H. Bass and Co.; O'Toole, decd., T. Doyle.

OFFIG AN SCRUDORA
(The Examiner's Office.)

Mr. Healy (Room 123), at 11 o'clock—P. Daly, decd., Daly v. Daly; Ehrill v. Donoghue; M. Hogan, decd., Fennelly v. Poole; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. O'Brien; Northern Bank, Ltd., v. O'Reilly; P. Connell, decd., Ulster Bank, Ltd., v. Robbins; M. McDonnell, decd., McDonnell v. McDonnell; M. Coman, decd., Molony v. Coman.

Mr. Adderley (Room 103), at 11 o'clock—Ulster Bank, Ltd., v. Armstrong; Walshe v. Nealon; Roland v. Higgins; K. Cremin, decd., and P. Cremin, decd. Moloney v. Cremin; J. A. Fitzgerald, decd., Fitzpatrick v. McCarthy; Barry v. Ryan.

Mr. Greville (Room 110), at 11 o'clock—Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Robinson; J. Hendy, decd., Tarnpin v. Hendy; Ritchie v. Murray.

Mr. Crump (Room 106), at 11 o'clock—Sim v. Petrie; Whitty v. Whitty.

Mr. Murtagh (Room 108), at 11 o'clock—M. B. Forster, decd., Lynch v. McMahon.

BANKRUPTCY.
(Before the Registrar.)

At 11 o'clock—Allen, vch. ac., Casey, Clay and Collins; Manly, vch. ac., Casey, Clay and Collins; Moore, vch. ac., Scallan and Co.; Cullen, vch. ac. Little and Cullen; Foley, vch. ac., Horan and Devine; Power, vch. ac., Shannon and Co.; Hennessy, vch. and audit, J. R. Peart; Dowling, vch. ac., C. B. W. Boyle; arrangt., vch. ac., Collins and Son; arrangt., vch. ac., Scallan and Co.; arrangt, vch. ac., A. Cox; O'Leary, vch. mtgee. ac., Collins and Son; Fennell, vch. mtgee. ac., Collins and Son.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
(Examiners' Chambers, at 93 Merrion square.)

Before Mr. Brett, at 11 o'clock—Irish Land Commission (formerly Irish Land Purchase Settlement Co., Ltd.) (S. 2936), vouch.

Before Mr. Brett, at 12 o'clock—John Rowlette (S. 6439), vouch.

Before Mr. Grove White, at 11 o'clock—Charles E. A. Roper Fitzgerald (S. 1939), vouch.

Before Mr. Spain, at 11 o'clock—Henry Keating (S. 2211), settle schedule.
At 89 Merrion Square.

Before Mr. Leet, at 11 o'clock—Robert W. H. Jackson (S. 1717), discharge rulings and settle schedule.

Before Mr. de Courcy, at 11 o'clock—F. Bourke and others (S. 1567), discharge rulings.

Before Mr. Tyrrell, at 11 o'clock—Bullen's estate (S. 2191), vouch.

COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.

At 3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin. For Friday, 27th May, at 11 o'clock. Motion—In the matter of the Great Southern Railways Company, applicants, City of Cork Steam Packet Company, Ltd., respondents.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

Thursday, the 26th May, 1932, has been appointed as the date for the next sitting of the Central Criminal Court at the Courthouse, Green street, Dublin, at 11 a.m.

AN CHUIRT BHRITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Davitt, at Four Courts, at 12.30 p.m. Application for Summary Judgment—Armstrong v. O'Hanlon. Applications under Increase of Rent Acts—Doyle and Murphy; Cranshaw and O'Donoghue; Kilroy and Barlow; Hughes and Lapedus; Carr and Crowe, Ltd.; Gilligan and Woods; O'Brien and Jolly; Murtagh and Hayes Sadlier.

Before Judge Shannon, at Four Courts, at 12.30 o'clock. Civil Action—Kavanagh v. Dagg and another. Ejectments—Gruson v. Perkins; Kennedy v. Feekery and others; Walsh v. O'Connor; P. O'Connor and Son, Ltd., v. McGann.

Before Judge Davitt, at Four Courts. For Thursday, 26th May, at 11 o'clock. Applications for Summary Judgment—Dolan v. Cullen; Provincial Bank, Ltd., v. Woods and another; Stack v. Keogh; McConkey v. Cancy; same v. same. Civil Actions—Olden and another v. O'Meara; Wall v. Jones (October, 1930); O'Connor v. Thompson; Hubert v. McClean (October, 1931); Irish Radio v. McCarthy (December, 1931); Rogan v. Concannon (November, 1930).

Before Judge Shannon, at Four Courts. For Thursday, 26th May, at 11 o'clock. Civil Actions—Murphy v. Birkery; Doyle v. New Ireland Assurance Co.; Gilchrist v. New Ireland Assurance Co.; Doyle v. Perrott; Lyons v. Kane.

Before Judge Shannon, at Four Courts. For Friday, 27th May, at 11 o'clock. Equity—Dowling v. McEvoy. Civil Actions—Fyner v. McCabe; Murphy v. Kenny; Mannion v. Gallagher; Mangan v. Redmond.

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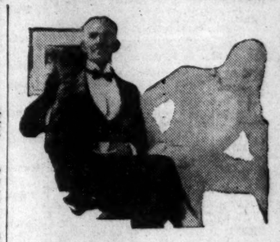

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DUBLIN HORSE SHOW.

LIST OF JUDGES.

The list of prizes for the annual Horse Show of the Royal Dublin Society, which is now available, should attract the usual big entry. Provision has been made for fifty-three ordinary classes, with prizes ranging from £5 to £25, while in the eight jumping competitions the value of the prizes ranges from £5 to £100. In addition, there are nineteen challenge cups and special prizes, so that there is every inducement for horse-owners to come forward. Entries close on Saturday, 2nd July.

The following have agreed to act as judges:—

Thoroughbreds — Lt.-Col. John McKie, Newtownstewart, N.B.; Mr. George Smithwick, Gilltown, Kilcullen, Co. Kildare.

Brood mares, yearlings, two and three-year-olds—Mr. Ernest Bellany, Esker House, Lucan; Mr. E. G. E. Griffith, Trefnant, Denbighshire.

Heavy-weight hunters—Mr. E. W. Hope-Johnston, Lockerbie, N.B.; the Hon. R. E. Parker, Norton Curlieu, Warwick.

Medium-weight hunters—Captain T. A. Wickham Boynton, Burton Agnes Hall, Driffield; Lt.-Col. P. E. Bowden Smith, 16th/5th Lancers, Equitation School, Weedon.

Officers' charges — Lt.-Col. Alexander, Melton Mowbray.

Ladies' challenge trophy and children's pony classes — Lady Blanche Douglas, Sherston, Wilts; Mrs. J. K. Stevenson, Welland, Malvern.

Riding cobs and ponies—Major E. Fanshawe, Shorncliffe, Kent.

Harness horses — Mr. Vivian Gooch, Leighton Buzzard; A. W. Hickling, Kensington, London, W.

Jumping competitions — Captain E. F. Boylan, D.S.O., Drogheda; P. Dunne Cullinan, Trim; John Kernohan, V.S., Ballybrena; B. T. O'Reilly, Carrickmines; John J. Ryan, Knocklong; William Toomey, Enniskerry; Mr. Justice Wylie, Clonsilla.

THE WATER SUPPLY.

BOARD OF CONTROL PROPOSAL.

Mr. H. M. Dardis, Chairman of the County Dublin Board of Health, presided at a meeting of representatives of the various local councils and urban districts in the County Dublin, held yesterday at the suggestion of the Board of Health for the purpose of formulating a scheme for the establishment of a water board with the object of unifying the control of water and sewerage schemes in the city and county and the adjoining areas.

Mr. Meghan, Commissioner for Bray and Howth, expressed himself strongly in favour of the water board, and said that so far as he knew the city authorities were not antagonistic to the scheme. He suggested that the co-operation of Mr. Sherlock should be requested.

Mr. McCall, Town Clerk, Bray, said that Bray and other bodies had by law a right of supply from the Dublin Corporation. This would require adjustment under any proposal.

A resolution was passed in favour of the establishment of a water board representative of Dublin Corporation, Bray Urban District, Dun Laoghaire, Howth and the Dublin County Board of Health, and requesting the co-operation of the City Manager.

The Chairman said that, while he favoured the scheme, he would not like to see the Rush water scheme abandoned until an assurance was given that that district would be assured of a supply from another source.

Field of Twelve for the Irish Two Thousand Guineas

LINDLEY MAY KEEP THE PRIZE AT HOME.

STRONG CHALLENGE EXPECTED FROM SOLOMON'S SEAL.

Trains—Kingsbridge, 11.0, 1.0, 1.25.

THE race for the Irish Two Thousand Guineas at the Curragh this afternoon has aroused considerable interest by reason of the fact that among the field there will be two cross-Channel candidates with strong claims to consideration—namely, Minden Boy and Solomon's Seal. The latter, who will be ridden by H. Beasley, has the better credentials; for this year he won the Home-Bred Cup at Gatwick, beating

Tote Double on Third and Fifth Races.

Leighon, and earlier won the Marcus Beresford Maiden Stakes at Sandown from a big field. Minden Boy, who has run three times unplaced this year, won the Norfolk Stakes at the Newmarket May Meeting last year, and can hardly be regarded as the same danger to the home-trained lot as Sir M. Wilson's horse.

The following are the declared runners and their jockeys:—

CALL HIM, br. c., by Call Boy—Trefoil (Major Dixon) (Beshan), 9-0.....Jos. Canty
LINDLEY, br. c., by Spion Kop—Teplitz (Captain G. F. Dunne) (Blake), 9-0...M. Wing
CORNELIUS (R), b. g., by Arch Gift—Ayn Hall (Mr. O. V. Watney) (More O'Ferrall), 9-0.....E. M. Quirke
SOLICITOUS, ch. c., by Soldennis—Cascatel (Mrs. C. L. Mackean) (Blake), 9-0.....J. Moylan
KINGSMERE, b. c., by Rol Herode—Ladora (Mr. C. Odium) (Blake), 9-0.....R. Thorpe
MINDEN BOY, b. c., by Captivation—Minden Maid (Sir F. Eley) (Templeman), 9-0.....Jas. Kirby
HILL SONG, br. c., by Spion Kop—Cradle Song (Maj. Shirley) (J. T. Rogers), 9-0.....E. Gardner
WAMPUM, br. c., by Torloisk—Simon Tid (Mr. R. H. Garrett) (Prendergast), 9-0.....W. Howard
VALKYRIE, b. c., by Vencedor—Valk (Mr. O. V. Watney) (More O'Ferrall), 9-0.....T. Burns
LOTUS LEAVES, b. c., by Legatee—Lotus Flower (Major Shirley) (J. T. Rogers), 9-0.....D. Gallagher
GRAND ECART, bl. c., by Grand Parade—Camargo (Mr. S. Vlasto) (More O'Ferrall), 9-0.....M. Prendergast
SOLOMON'S SEAL, b. c., by Foxlaw—Polygonum (Sir M. Wilson) (Nightingall), 9-0.....H. Beasley

While taking Solomon's Seal as the better of the two English-trained candidates, and regarding him as a very formidable contender for the spoils, the claims of such as Lindley, the winner of the Madrid Plate at the Curragh April Meeting; Call Him, who represents P. Behan's stable instead of Gold Amulet, and the Kildangan stable pair, Cornbury and Valkyrie, must not be ignored.

Hill Song should be held safe by Lindley, who won at the April Meeting in the style of an uncommonly good colt. Thus, while expecting danger from Solomon's Seal, the selection is

LINDLEY.

Selections for other races:—
Paddock Plate—Kyleavalla.
Curragh Plate—Bardley.
Apprentices' Plate—Money Order.
Novices' Stakes—Dr. Strabismus.
Trial Plate—Row Boat.

TOTE DOUBLE.
Lindley and Dr. Strabismus.

2.30—THE PADDOCK PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. For two years old. 5 f. Age st. lb.

SMART ALECK (Count M'Cormack) O'Ferrall 9 0
JACKMORE (3lb.) (Mr. D. P. O'Brien) Clarke 8 11
MARIE VIC (Mrs. M. E. Fitzgerald) Ussher 8 9
SWINDON LIGHT (5lb.) (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 8 9
KYLEAVALLA (3lb. and 5lb.) (Lord Osborne Beauclerk) Slocock 8 8
JOLLY PRINCESS (3lb. and 5lb.) (Mr. P. Behan) Owner 8 1
MAGNANIMOUS (5lb. and 5lb.) (Mr. R. More O'Ferrall) Owner 8 1
EILEEN AROON (3lb. and 5lb.) (Mr. J. Porter Porter) Wellesley 8 1

Above are declared runners.

30 JACKMORE. Unplaced with 8-7 to Matona (8-10), Baldoyle May (5f.). Carried 8-6 when beaten 6l., 4l. by The Don (8-2) and Rash Greek (7-11), Leopardstown April (5f.).

0 SWINDON LIGHT. Unplaced with 8-12 in company with Jolly Princess (8-9) to Prince Alloway (8-9), Naas May (5f.).

12 KYLEAVALLA. Carried 9-1 when beaten 3l. by Dr. Strabismus (8-8), Phœnix Park April (6f.). Carried 8-9 when winning 2l., neck from Knight of Monaster (9-7) and Cciiarette (8-9), Curragh April (5f.).

00 JOLLY PRINCESS. Unplaced with 8-6 to Irish Kitty (8-6), Phœnix Park May (5f.). See Swindon Light.

3.0—CURRAGH PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap. 5 f. Age st. lb.

FLASHING DAWN (9lb. ex.) (Mr. Jas. Donnelly) Dawson a 10 8
CUSTODIAN (9lb. ex.) (Mr. S. Croker) Brabazon 4 9 8
FILM FAN (Mrs. F. Blacker) Parkinson 4 8 8
BARDLEY (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 3 8 0
STAR OF ERIN (Mr. F. More O'Ferrall) O'Ferrall 3 7 12
ORANGE BLOSSOM (Lord Talbot de Malahide) Wellesley 3 7 10
TAG ISLE (Mr. F. Power) Collins 3 7 7

Above are declared runners.

01 FLASHING DAWN. Carried 10-3 when winning 2l., same from Bardley (8-4) and Star of Erin (7-12), Baldoyle May (5f.). Tag Isle (7-10) was fifth of 8. See Orange Blossom.

11 CUSTODIAN. Carried 9-5 when winning 1l., 2jl. from Prosperity (8-5) and Orange Blossom (8-5), Maze May (5f.). Carried 8-12 when winning 3l., 2l. from Prosperity (8-9) and Redgrave (8-12), Limerick Junction April (5f.).

00 FILM FAN. Carried 8-3 when sixth of 9 to Double Toy (7-12), Naas May (6f.). Unplaced with 8-4 to Carey Dennis (9-7), Curragh April (6f. 65yds.).

02 BARDLEY. See Flashing Dawn.

33 STAR OF ERIN. Carried 7-12 when beaten head, 1jl. by Glass Gift (8-9) and Vici (8-0), Phœnix Park May (5f.). See Flashing Dawn.

53 ORANGE BLOSSOM. See Custodian. Carried 7-10 when beaten 3l. 1jl. by Vici (8-4) and Tags (7-10), with Flashing Dawn (10-5), sixth of 13, Phœnix Park April (5f.). Carried 7-7 when winning neck, 1jl. from Charlatan (9-0) and Vici (8-7), Phœnix Park March (5f.).

00 TAG ISLE. See Flashing Dawn.

3.40—IRISH 2,000 GUINEAS. Winner 75 per cent. second 15 per cent., third 10 per cent. of the stakes after deduction of bonuses of 100 sovs. to the owner (at entry) of the winner and 50 sovs. to the owner (at entry) of the second. For three years old. Colts and geldings, 9st.; fillies, 8st. 10lb. The winner of two races each value 500 sovs., or of a race value 700 sovs., 4lb extra; of two races each value 700 sovs. or of a race value 1,400 sovs., 7lb. extra. 1 m.

FOR PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS SEE ABOVE.

3 CALL HIM. Carried 8-12 when beaten head, 2l. by Little Boy Blue (8-12) and Santaria (8-8), Curragh July (5f.).

11 LINDLEY. Carried 9 2 when winning 1½l., 2l. from Hill Song (8-13) and Corcy (9-0) Curragh April (1m.). Solicitous (8-10) was fourth, and Grand Ecart (8-10) eighth of 13. Carried 8-7 when dead-heating with Valkyrie (9-0) 1½l. in front of Rosarium (9-0), Curragh July (5f.).

00 CORNELIUS. Carried 9-3 when fourth of 10 to Lochmore (8-7), Naas October (5f.). Carried 8-12 when beaten head, 4l. by Solenaid (8-12) and Hill Song (8-12), Curragh October (6f. 65yds.). Solicitous (8-12) was fifth of 7.

00 SOLICITOUS. Carried 8-3 when fourth of 6 to Gold Amulet (8-0), Baldoyle May (1½m.). See Lindley, Cornbury and Valkyrie.

0 KINGSMERE. Unplaced with 7-6 to Step Aside Lord (7-5), Curragh April (1m.).

00 MINDEN BOY. Unplaced with 8-2 to Duodecagon (8-3), Hurst Park May (1m.). Unplaced with 8-11 to Leighon (8-7), Sandown Park April (1m.).

12—HILL SONG. See Lindley. Carried 8-7 when winning 2 l., 8 l., from La Sorciere (8-1) and Royal Hero (9-0) Leopardstown November (7-f.). See Cornbury and Valkyrie.

00—WAMPUM. See Lotus Leaves. Unplaced with 8-7 to Gipsy Jane (9-13), Maze May (1¼m.).

02—VALKYRIE. Carried 9-0 when beaten 3½ by Dougen (8-7), with Totality (8-11) 1½ l. behind, Liverpool March (6 f.). Unplaced with 8-9 to Bull Point (9-0), Ayr September (6 f.). Carried 9-5 when beaten 4 l. by Celebrator (9-0), Leopardstown August (5 f.). Hill Song (8-9) was fourth and Solicitous (8-9) further behind. See Lindley.

12—LOTUS LEAVES. Carried 8-4 when beaten 2 l. by Double Bell (8-5), with Wampum (8-4) fifth of 8, Baldoyle May (1 m. 1 f. 80 yds.). Carried 8-7 when winning 5 l., head, from Royal Solitude (9-12) and Vulnerable (8-7), Dundalk May (1 m. 1 f. 80 yds.).

00—GRAND ECART. Unplaced with 6-4 to Andrea (6-4), Manchester May (1 m.). See Lindley.

31—SOLOMON'S SEAL. Carried 9-8 when winning head, 2 l., from Leighon (9-8) and Phileas (9-0), Gatwick May (1¼ m.). Carried 9-0 when winning 1 l., same, from Moti Mia (9-0) and Golden Pomono (8-11), Sandown April (1 m.).

4.10—APPRENTICES' PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 5 f. Age st. lb.

MONEY ORDER (Mr. I. I. Bradlaw) W. Howard
MOUNTGARRET (Mr. F. P. Roche) T. Burns
FAIR BELLE (Mr. J. T. Rogers) Owner 4 7 9
ORANGE BLOSSOM (Lord Talbot de Malahide) Wellesley 3 7 4
BRISTOL FLEET (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 3 7 0
WITCH KOP (Mr. R. More O'Ferrall) Owner 3 7 0
LA SORCIERE (Mr. G. Shaw) Slocock 3 7 0
MONTERAY (Mr. H. M. Slocock) Slocock 3 7 0
SHANTONY (Mr. G. E. F. Ten'son) Wellesley 3 7 0

Above are declared runners.

32—MONEY ORDER. Carried 8-10 when beaten 4 l. by Chonl (7-9), Phœnix Park May (5 f.). Mountgarret (8-0) and Witch Kop (7-4) were unplaced.

00—MOUNTGARRET. See Money Order.

00—FAIR BELLE. Unplaced with 7-4 to Queen of Essex (8-0) Curragh September (2 f.).

33—ORANGE BLOSSOM. Carried 8-5 when beaten 1 l., ½ l., by Custodian (9-5) and Prosperity (8-5), Maze May (5 f.). Carried 7-10 when beaten 3 l., ½ l., by Vici (8-4) and Tags (7-10), Phœnix Park April (5 f.). Bristol Fleet (7-2) was fourth of 13.

00—BRISTOL FLEET. Carried 7-7 when fourth of 6 to Custodian (8-12), Limerick Junction April (5 f.). See Orange Blossom.

30—WITCH KOP. See Money Order. Carried 8-11 when beaten 2½ l., 2 l., by Knight's Adventure (9-0) and Tully West (9-0), Curragh October (5 f.).

03—LA SORCIERE. Carried 7-13 when beaten neck, 1 l., by Cadurcis (9-9) and Lucania (7-8), Powerstown Park May (1 m. 80 yds.).

00—MONTERAY. Unplaced with 7-4 to Lucania (7-9), Phœnix Park April (1 m.).

4.40—NOVICES' STAKES of 200 sovs. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. For two years old. 5 f. Age st. lb.

BROADLY PASHA (Mr. J. Johnston Cooney) Collins 9 0
CRANSTON (5lb.) (Mr. R. S. Croker) Brabazon 8 9
CORRYMEELA (5lb.) (Mr. W. Blacker) J. Rogers 8 5
CARDO (5lb.) (Col. A. J. Blake) Owner 8 5
GAY MAID (5lb.) (Capt. H. J. Cullen) (——) 8 5
FAST GREEK (5lb. and 5lb.) (Capt. Dixon) O'Ferrall 8 4
DR. STRABISMUS (5lb.) (Lady Milbanke) O'Ferrall 9 4
CAPITULATE (Mr. J. T. Rogers) O'Brien 9 0
ACCOLADE (5lb.) (Mr. F. Rogers) Collins 8 9
KATHLEEN II. (5lb.) (Mrs. L. T. Neary) J. Rogers 8 5
SUN MIST (5lb.) (Mr. J. J. Maher) Blake 8 5
SWEET SOL (5lb.) (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 8 5
RASH GREEK (5lb. and 5lb.) (Sir T. Dixon) Behan 8 4
DOUBLE L (5lb. and 5lb.) (Mr. O. T. Slocock) Owner 8 4

Above are declared runners.

30—CRANSTON. See Dr. Strabismus. Carried 9-0 when beaten 1½ l., ½ l., by Green Glen (8-10) and Kirkmond (8-10), Maze May (5 f.).

11—DR. STRABISMUS. Carried 9-8 when winning 6 l., 10 l., from Leap Year (8-8) and Twain (8-8), Phœnix Park May (5 f.). Carried 9-4 when winning 1½ l., 2 l., from Movnalty (8-8) and Some Catch (8-12), Baldoyle May (5 f.). Cranston (8-12) was unplaced. See Double L.

2—RASH GREEK. Carried 7-11 when beaten 6 l. by The Doe (8-2), Leopardstown April (5 f.).

00—DOUBLE L. Unplaced with 8-4 to Ballyfinch (9-0), Dr. Strabismus (8-9) and The Doe (8-10), Curragh April (5 f.).

5.10—TRIAL PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap. 1 m. Age st. lb.

CRESTED WAVE (Mr. John O'Brien) T. Rogers 6 9 9
CARRICK LASS (Mr. J. Kirwan) Owner 6 9 1
GLANDORE (Mr. I. J. Blake) Blake 4 9 1
JACK O' GLEN (Mr. R. M. Slocock) Slocock 4 8 1
LOCH LEVEN (Mr. R. More O'Ferrall) Owner 3 7 13
ROW BOAT (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 3 7 10

Above are declared runners.

00—CRESTED WAVE. Unplaced with 8-10 in company with Glandore (7-9) to Hebrides (8-8), Naas October (1½ m.). Unplaced with 8-12 to Overall (8-4), Curragh October (1¾ m.). Carried 8-7 when winning 4 l., 4 l., from Regained (8-5) and Some Catch (9-11), Curragh September (1¼ m.).

10—CARRICK LASS. Unplaced with 10-11 to Mistrin Lad (11-0), Naas May (2 m. 40 yds. chase). Carried 10-2 when dead-heating with Irish Light (11-12), Mallow August (2 m., 'chase). Unplaced with 9-4 to Johnny Green (9-13), Tramore August (1½ m., flat).

00—GLANDORE. Unplaced with 9-4 in company with Row Boat (7-9) to La Sorciere (8-5), Naas April (1 m. 180 yds.). See Crested Wave.

00—JACK O' GLEN. Unplaced with 8-1 to Prince Prosper (8-7), Baldoyle May (1 m. 1 f. 80 yds.). Unplaced with 7-4 to Carey Dennis (9-7), Curragh April (6 f. 65 yds.).

10—LOCH LEVEN. Unplaced with 7-9 to Step Aside Lord (7-5), Curragh April (1 m.). Carried 8-2 when winning 2½ l., 4 l., from Tully West (8-7) and Red Rag (8-4), Leopardstown November (5 f.).

30—ROW BOAT. See Glandore. Carried 8-10 when beaten 1 l., 3 l., by Asphalt (8-10) and Rosemary's Pet (8-10), Phœnix Park October (5 f.).

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OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Royal Hunt Cup, Ascot—Radio, at 11.35 a.m. yesterday.
Beaufort Handicap, Bath—Pergamus.
Kelston Selling Handicap, Bath—Order.
Wilton Selling Plate, Salisbury—Kentish Mist, Craig Nahir.
Salisbury Stakes—Vevey, Latakia.
Forget-Me-Not Handicap, Windsor—Lunavada.
Doncaster Autumn Foal Plate, Doncaster Autumn Meeting—Ten Cents.
Doncaster Spring Meeting engagements—Support, Tricoline.
York Spring Meeting engagements—Mellin, Apple Time.
Home-Bred Plate, York, and Weston Stakes, Bath—Brunswick.
Bendigo Plate, Kempton Park—Salmon Reach.
Cork and Orrery Stakes, Ascot; Hardwicke Stakes, Ascot; Atlantic Cup, Liverpool, and King George Stake, Goodwood—Scrodelio.
Ayr engagements—Highticle IV.
Lewes engagements—Carando.

SLOCOCK'S La Sorciere and Monteray galloped five furlongs, Double L. and Kyleavalla came three furlongs briskly. Misjudgment and Jackalight cantered a mile and a quarter. Highmond and Donna Rossa cantered five furlongs. Jack o' Glen had a sharpening-up spin over five furlongs.

F. TEMPLEMAN'S Minden Boy had a brisk canter over six furlongs.

FLAT RACING SEASON.

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WORK AT THE CURRAGH.

THE CURRAGH, Tuesday.

This morning was dull and damp.

BEHAN'S Call Him covered seven furlongs at half-speed. Gay Maid and Rash Greek went three furlongs sharply.

BRABAZON'S Custodian and Centol had a brisk four furlongs spin. Claremorris travelled a mile and a quarter at half-speed. Clonford galloped six furlongs.

DOYLE'S Kildare's Pride and Reilly traversed a mile and a half at a nice pace. Pretty Land galloped five furlongs.

HARTIGAN'S Lady Frivol and Dusky Chief covered a mile at three-parts speed. The two-year-olds cantered five furlongs. Bardley came three furlongs sharply.

NIGHTINGALL'S Solomon's Seal was given a brisk canter over six furlongs.

PARKINSON'S Moyle Lassie galloped a mile and three-quarters. Row Boat had a good five furlong spin. Double Toy, Old Relic, Prince Sham and Film Fan came three furlongs sharply.

ROGERS'S Hill Song moved well in a good five furlong spin. Crested Wave, Cap-a-Pie II. and Nice Token galloped a mile. The two-year-olds came three furlongs sharply.

SELECTIONS FOR THE CURRAGH.

Paddock Plate—KYLEAVALLA.
Curragh Plate—BARDLEY.
Two Thousand Guineas—LINDLEY, 1; SOLOMON'S SEAL, 2; HILL SONG, 3.
Apprentices' Plate—LA SORCIERE.
Novices' Stakes—DR. STRABISMUS.
Trial Plate—ROW BOAT.

YORK PROGRAMME.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Ainsty Selling—Arran Beg.
Micklegate Handicap—Talos (nap).
Eglinton Stakes—Bloater.
Yorkshire Cup—Scottish Fusilier.
Stamford Selling—Absurdum.
Scarbrough Sweepstakes—Mariegoulde.
Hambleton Maiden Plate—Belle Soleil.

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.
Talos (York) and Chorist (Bath).

FORM HORSES.

2. 0—Radio. 4.10—Saugor.
2.35—Talos (nap). 4.40—Marie Goulde.
3. 5—Acton Reed. 5.10—Sankate.
3.40—Trimdon.

Eclipse.

2.0—AINSTY SELLING PLATE of 400 sovs. 6 f. Age st. lb.

EYES FRONT (Mr. J. T. Downing) Vasey 5 9 1
RADIO (Mr. C. FitzRoy) Beatty a 9 1
THE TOUT (Mr. J. B. Joel) C. Peck 4 9 1
ARRAN BEG (Mr. F. Deuchar) F. Armstrong a 8 12
GRANDMASTER (Lord Glanely) Hogg a 8 12
GIFT HORSE (Miss Paget) Briscoe 4 8 12
BREADCRUMB (Miss Paget) Briscoe 5 8 12
LYNDLEY (Mr. R. Renton) Renton 4 8 12
DREAMY TREMOR (Mr. Swire) G. Armstrong 5 8 12
CHIPS (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 4 8 12
CIRO (Mr. W. Webster) Gunter 3 7 11
KILDONAN (Mr. W. Thorpe) H. Leach 3 7 9
GOLDSTICK (Mr. H. S. Maw) Maw 3 7 6
NANCY GAY (Mr. J. T. Wells) Maw 3 7 6

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

335 RADIO ..... Baines 5/1
000 EYES FRONT ..... H. Wragg 9/2
220 THE TOUT ..... Jellies 7/1
414 ARRAN BEG ..... Marshall 5/2
004 LYNDLEY ..... Caldwell 10/1
001 CHIPS ..... S. Donoghue 7/2
144 CIRO ..... Whitehead 9/1
002 KILDONAN ..... Weston 7/1
300 NANCY GAY ..... W. Carr 100/8

2.35—MICKLEGATE HANDICAP PLATE of 400 sovs. 5 f. Age st. lb.

LA FONTAINE (Mrs. Beddington) F. Hartigan 4 9 4
TALOS (Mr. W. H. Thorpe) H. Leach 3 8 12
GOLDEN LEGEND (7lb. ex.) (Maj. Bartlewell) C. Leader 5 8 11
THUNDER SQUALL (Sir L. Green) Green 6 8 8
BABA (Mr. J. G. Storey) Drake 4 7 13
BROOMFORD (Mr. Smith) M. Peacock 3 7 13
VANOC (Mr. J. Hamer) Carr a 7 13
WESTERNER (Mrs. V. Emanuel) Duller 4 7 11
BREADCRUMB (Miss Paget) Briscoe 5 7 5
DESNOAIS (Capt. Lord) F. Armstrong 4 7 3
SAUCY PEGGY (Mr. P. Jackson) Reader 3 7 1

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

404 LA FONTAINE ..... S. Donoghue 5/1
130 TALOS ..... H. Wragg 6/1
201 GOLDEN LEGEND ..... Perryman 7/1
410 THUNDER SQUALL ..... F. Fox 10/1
002 BABA ..... Beary 3/1
100 BROOMFORD ..... Bullett 8/1
040 VANOC ..... Marshall 100/8
000 WESTERNER ..... Weston 10/1
110 DESNOAIS ..... Dines 7/1
000 SAUCY PEGGY ..... W. Rickaby 100/8

3.5—EGLINTON STAKES, with 200 sovs. added. Two-year-olds. 6 f. Age st. lb.

ACTON REED (Ld. Allendale) Elsey 9 0
BLOATER (Ld. Rosebery) J. Jarvis 9 0
GENEROUS GIFT (Sir J. Barwick) R. J. Colling 8 9
HIGH HEELS (Mr. E. Esmond) J. Jarvis 8 7
HAYSTACK (Ld. Harewood) W. Jarvis 8 7
MANOEUVRE (Mr. R. T. Mills) S. Darling 8 7
PERT LASS (Mr. W. H. Thorpe) H. Leach 8 7
HAZEL OGE F. (Mr. A. J. Buston) Waugh 8 4
LA CERVA (Mr. H. Coventry) Rimell 8 4
COMPLACENT (Ld. Derby) Lambton 8 4
CINNA F. (Sir J. B. Jardine) F. Leach 8 4
RUSTOM BEGUM (H.H. Aga Khan) Fk. Butters 8 4
MAURETANIA (Lt.-Col. Giles Loder) Gilpin 8 4
IT'S A GIRL (Mr. J. W. Ramsden) Elsey 8 4

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

110 BLOATER ..... H. Wragg 5/1
1 ACTON REED ..... H. Taylor 5/4
122 GENEROUS GIFT ..... P. Beasley 3/1
04 HAYSTACK ..... Childs 8/1
00 GREY LAG ..... Baines 100/8
002 HAZEL OGE ..... S. Donoghue 7/1
RUSTOM BEGUM ..... Beary 10/1

3.40—YORKSHIRE CUP. A Handicap Plate of 1,000 sovs. 2 m. Age st lb.

TRIMDON (Brig.-Gen. Lambton) Lawson 6 9 7
SIR ANDREW (Mr. W. Woodward) Boyd-Rochfort 4 8 13
INSURANCE (Miss Paget) Briscoe 5 8 4
SANDALS (Lady Zia Wernher) Boyd-Rochfort 5 8 1
BONNY BRIGHTEYES (Mrs. Robinson) M. Peacock 4 7 8
LEONARD (Mr. H. F. Clayton) Elsey 6 7 1
AIR POCKET (Capt. Arnold S. Wills) Fred Butters 4 6 12
CASTLEBAGOT (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 4 6 11

MR. I. J. BLAKE,
Owner of Killone Hill, winner of the Juvenile Plate at the Curragh.

4.10—STAMFORD SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 250 sovs. 1 m. Age st. lb.

GRAND PRINCE (Lord Glanely) Hogg 6 9 7
KENWYN (Miss Paget) Briscoe a 9 7
SAUGOR (Mr. B. Dennis) Drake a 9 0
DUNDRAVE (Mr. W. Maiden) Reardon 5 8 12
ABBOTS PRIDE (Mr. M. D. Peacock) (Owner a 8 11
PRIORY LAD (Mr. J. Turner) Hudson 5 8 8
CARDINAL (Mrs. Fairfax) R. J. Colling 4 8 5
PAINTBOX (Mr. T. R. Rimell) ...Owner a 8 3
GALA PRINCE (Mr. J. Storey) G. Sadler 6 8 3
BAKER'S DOZEN (Mr. Morris) F. Armstrong 3 7 13
CARESS (Mr. B. Dennis) Drake 4 7 13
ABSURDUM (Mr. J. W. Manser) Owner 6 7 12
TALPRA (Mr. J. Metcalf) Fd. Butters 5 7 11
DURAZNITA (Mr. T. R. Rimell) Owner 3 7 10
CIRO (Mr. W. Webster) Gunter 3 7 9
CLACHANEASY (Mr. J. C. Wilson) (Owner 4 7 6
BROC-O'-DALE (Mr E. Burns) Owner 5 7 3

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

410 GRAND PRINCE ..... F. Rickaby 8/1
323 SAUGOR ..... Dowdall 4/1
000 DUNDRAVE ..... Childs 10/1
030 ABBOT'S PRIDE ..... Nevett 9/1
300 PRIORY LAD ..... H. Wragg 10/1
100 CARDINAL ..... P. Beasley 10/1
013 PAINTBOX ..... S. Donoghue 11/2
030 BAKER'S DOZEN ..... Marshall 7/1
000 ABSURDUM ..... Lowrey 100/8
000 TALPRA ..... Southey 100/8
100 DURAZNITA ..... Balmer 100/8
144 CIRO ..... Whitehead 100/8
004 CLACHANEASY ..... Dines 8/1

4.40—SCARBOROUGH SWEEPSTAKES of 10 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. Two-year-olds. 5 f. Age st. lb.

MARANON C. (Miss D. Paget) Briscoe 9 1
FRAXINUS (Mr. W. H. Thorpe) Easterby 9 1
MARIEGOULDE (Mr. H. Clayton) Elsey 8 12
CWALO (Sir A. Butt) Fk. Butters 8 5
ADRIATIC (Lord Derby) Lambton 8 5
SIMPLON (Col. F. J. Lundgren) Easterby 8 5
BOW AND ARROW (Sir C. McLeod) Higgs 8 5
STAGE DOOR (Miss D. Paget) Briscoe 8 5
OUTRIDER (Mr. A. de Rothschild) Watson 8 5
ALEXANDER (Lord Harewood) W. Jarvis 8 5
SAIL (Mr. H. Whitley) Boyd-Rochfort 8 5
THE PRINCE (Mr. H. A. Harvey) Loates 8 5
MR PITMAN (Mrs. Drummond) T. Hartigan 8 5
HIGHLANDER (Lord Derby) Lambton 8 5
GAUNT'S HOLIDAY F. (Sir A. Bailey) H. Leader 8 2
BESTLOT (Mr. T. Davidson) R. Day 8 2
MINGLED (Major L. Holliday) De Mestre 8 2
ISTORIL (Mr. J. P. Hornung) ...R. Jarvis 8 2
MOTI BEGUM (Aga Khan) Fk. Butters 8 2
BORDER RAIDER (Sir A. McAlpine) Arthropp 8 2
MAUNDY THURSDAY F. (Maj. H. Musker) H. Leader 8 2
LING (Mrs. E. C. Nolan) ...R. J. Colling 8 2

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

011 MARIEGOULDE ..... F. Taylor 4/5
00 CHOL ..... Perryman 10/1
HIGHLANDER ..... Weston 4/1
ALEXANDER ..... Stephenson 100/8
4 BOW AND ARROW ..... Collins 10/1
0 SAIL ..... Childs 7/1
0 ORBAZIA ..... F. Rickaby 8/1
0 ESTORIL ..... C. Richards 100/8
MOTI BEGUM ..... Beary 6/1

5.10—HAMBLETON MAIDEN PLATE of 400 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1 m. st. lb.

PRINCE KWOW (Mrs. L. Long) Briscoe 9 0
PRIORY COURT (Lady Fitzwilliam) Dundas 8 11
GLENGUBBLE (Mr. W. Thorpe) H. Leach 8 11
BURMAN (Mr. A. J. Buston) C. Waugh 8 4
SANKATH (Sir Edmund Findlay) Persse 8 4
DICK TURPIN (Mr. R. Watson) J. Lawson 8 4
CRAIGSIDE (Mr. J. Wells) Maw 8 4
PINACHO (Mr. W. Woodward) R. Rochfort 8 4
NANCY GAY (Mr. J. Wells) Maw 8 1
PARTH'S LOVE (Mr. A. K. Macomber) S. Darling 8 1
PHILANDER (Lord Rosebery) ... J. Jarvis 8 1

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

040 GLENGUBBLE ..... H. Wragg 8/1
01 BURMAN ..... Perryman 6/4
003 SANKATH ..... S. Donoghue 4/1
00 DICK TURPIN ..... C. Richards 7/1
000 CRAIGSIDE ..... Nevett 10/1
2 BELLE SOLEIL ..... Dines 7/2

BATH PROGRAMME.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

City Selling—Canfield.
Beaufort Handicap—On Watch.
Somersetshire Plate—Chorist (nap).
Kelston Selling Handicap—Black Jake.
Weston Stakes—Kyles of Bute.
County Plate—Bob.

FORM HORSES.

1.50—Canfield. 3.30—Apache (nap).
2.20—Happy Note. 4. 0—The Font.
3. 0—Coaster. 4.30—Bob.

Eclipse.

1.50—CITY SELLING PLATE of 150 sovs. 5 f. Age st. lb.

JOLIMENT (Mrs. C. E. Moore) Coldbeck a 9 0
SOMME ORB (Mr. D. M. Gant) P. Lowe a 9 0
ENYO (Mr. T. Beasley) Dick 4 8 11
CORNISH PRINCE (Sir J. Grey) Barthropp 5 8 11
CEDARWOOD (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges 5 8 11
PHONEMETER (Mr. de Mestre) Smalley 5 8 11
DE COURCY (Mr. R. C. Pearson) Thrale 6 8 11
CANFIELD (Baron de Tuyll) F. Hartigan a 8 11
SIR JONATHAN (Mr. Emanuel) Duller 3 8 0
TRANSVAAL (Mr. W. Robson) Loates 3 8 0
WILLBROOK HEROINE (Mr. Maguire) Maguire 3 8 0
MOULIN A VENT (Mr. F. Templeman) Owner 3 8 0
TOLERANT (D. of Westminster) Persse 3 8 0

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

203 SOMME ORB ..... Ray 3/1
000 ENYO ..... Dick 7/1
000 CORNISH PRIAR ..... S. Wragg 10/1
000 PHONEMETER ..... Hudson 9/2
230 DE COURCY ..... Lane 5/1
012 CANFIELD ..... G. Richards 5/4
000 TRANSVAAL ..... Graves 10/1
00 WILLBROOK HEROINE ... L. Lund 100/8
204 TOLERANT ..... Gethin 6/1

2.20—BEAUFORT HANDICAP, Plate of 150 sovs. 7 f. Age st. lb.

T.D. (Maj. T. G. Gerrard) ...F. Hartigan 4 9 7
KUDOS (Lord Montagu) ...V. Hartigan 6 8 13
GOLDEN EARL (Mr Blagrave) Blagrave 5 8 10
TELESCOPE (Sir Abe Bailey) ...Cottrill 4 8 8
ON WATCH (Mr. F. Allen) ...Diggell 4 8 7
CARTOUCCHE (Sir C. Hyde) ...Scobie 4 8 5
MARTEN'S TOWER (Mr. W. Maiden) C. Reardon 4 8 5
STILL FREE (Mr. Bray) ...Hy. Powney a 8 5
BON SOLDAT (Mr. Gregory) ...Golightly 5 8 4
HAPPY NOTE (Mrs. Cocke) ...D. Pennan 4 8 2
SYBIL'S CHOICE (Mr. Robson) Rickards 4 8 0
CHORIAMBIC (late Bucks Choice) (Mrs. H. E. Spottiswoode) ... Macnae 3 7 13
SOLO FLIGHT (Mr. Sharp) ...E. Harper 3 7 12
BLAZE (Sir E. Wills) ...Nugent 3 7 11
CUBLEY (Mr. F. W. Ketley) ...Rutland 4 7 11
HOPEFUL DWARF (Mr. F. W. Ketley) E. Harper 3 7 9

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

300 KUDOS ..... P. Donoghue 7/1
000 GOLDEN EARL ..... G. Richards 10/1
000 CARTOUCCHE ..... Blagrave 10/1
000 STILL FREE ..... F. Fox 4/1
110 BON SOLDAT ..... Gethin 11/2
000 HAPPY NOTE ..... S. Wragg 7/2
100 SYBIL'S CHOICE ..... Rook 5/1
000 CHORIAMBIC ..... A. Sones 100/8
000 SOLO FLIGHT ..... Westlake 8 4
00 BLAZE ..... Forsyth 100/8
000 CUBLEY ..... Robertson 10/1
000 HOPEFUL DWARF ..... E. Smith 8/1

3.0—SOMERSETSHIRE PLATE (handicap) of 350 sovs. 1¼ m. 200 yards Age st. lb.

COASTER (Sir Hugo Hirst) Templeman 6 9 7
WEST WICKLOW (Lt.-Col. Stewart) Stedall a 8 9
CHORIST (Capt. A. S. Wills) Fd. Butters 6 8 7
DICTUM (12lb. ex.) (Lady B. Bunbury) Rimell 4 8 2
POTCHIM (Mr. B. Davis) Owner 4 7 10
LIGHTS O' LONDON (Mr. J. Beary) Owner a 7 5
KNOLOMA (Mr. R. Khan) F. Hartigan 4 7 4
DECORUM (Mr. R. Farquharson) Owner 4 7 3
BOY PAINTER (Mrs. Bendir) M. Hartigan 4 7 2
SANITY (Mr. E. H. Gregory) Golightly 4 7 2
LUCELLE (Mrs. N. R. Davis) ...Hobbs 5 7 1
MALLOCK (Mr. E. Gregory) Golightly 6 6 13
MEDARLIN (Sir C. Hyde) ...Scobie a 6 10
ST. MARK (Mr. V. Emanuel) ...Duller 4 6 7

Betting

**Form

MANY CLOSE FINISHES.

T. BURNS RIDES TWO WINNERS AT THE CURRAGH.

WHILE there was no race of outstanding importance on the first day's card at the Curragh, there was some very exciting finishes, and a particularly interesting race was that for the Juvenile Plate, which was won by Mr. I. J. Blake's Killone Hill, who in a desperately close tussle with Believe Me and Slieve Donard gained a head victory. It was an unpleasant day from the weather point of view, several showers falling before and during racing, and the attendance suffered in consequence.

The starter had a troublesome lot to despatch for the Juvenile Plate, and there was some delay before he could get them in line, and even then Maid Marzy, who had caused most of the trouble, could not be induced to go away in line with the others. From the distance to the winning post there was a rare tussle between Slieve Donard, Killone Hill and Believe Me, and the three flashed past the winning post so close together that it was almost impossible to say which had won, even by those in the best of positions to judge. Believe Me was fast catching the other pair, and had the distance been a few yards further Captain Boyd-Rochfort's colt would, doubtless, have won.

WINNER BOUGHT FOR 25 GUINEAS.

Killone Hill is the property of Mr. I. J. Blake, who last year was the Senior Steward of the Turf Club, and retired at the expiration of his term of office. The winner is another example of a bargain procured at the Dublin Horse Show Sales, for he only cost 25 guineas when purchased by Mr. L. Brabazon from the Collinstown Stud lot of yearlings submitted last year.

The Beginners' Stake also provided an exciting finish before being won by Mr. J. T. Rogers's Tolerate, who thus confirmed the good impression formed of her when she won last week at Baldoyle. She was not quite up to concert pitch then and had evidently benefited by the gallop, as she put in a very game effort to tackle and defeat Greek Glen and Belterzo. The latter put up a far better performance than he did in the Patriotic Plate, and for four furlongs was going better than any of the others.

A PROMISING HURDLER.

Tullycross, who has recently returned to this country from England, where he won many races, gave an inglorious display in the Harristown Hurdle Race. After sharing the running with Selangor for half the journey, he dropped back beaten, and thenceforward Wandering Wing had the race safe keeping. It is a question of when Moylan would ask him to go out and tackle Sir Michael and Regained, and this he did at the last hurdle. In very few strides Mr. A. D. Comyn's colt had their measures taken, and his display was the best he has so far given in his new role as a hurdler.

CONSISTENCY OF DOUBLE BELL.

Clicquot, the favourite for the Scurry Plate, had every chance to win if he was good enough, for he was in the lead shortly after the start and maintained his position until close home, when Rahab, on the rails, and Luck Gift headed him. The latter momentarily looked like scoring, but T. Burns got Rahab up in the last hundred yards to snatch a clever victory. Burns was again to the fore later when riding Double Bell in the Friarstown Plate. Mr. R. More O'Ferrall's horse has been wonderfully consistent this season, this being his third win off the reel and his fourth in all out of five races, his only defeat being sustained at the Maze, where Ballybrit beat him.

ANOTHER PUCKA SAHIB WINS.

The Kildangan stable had hopes of also winning the Newbridge Plate with Count M'Cormack's Domremy, but the son of Warden of the Marches failed to stay out the journey as well as Mandritsara, another of the progeny of Pucka Sahib, who has been proving so successful as a sire of staying horses. Details:—

2.30—HARRISTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A weight-for-age hurdle race. 1¼ m.

Mr. A. D. Comyn's b. c. WANDERING WING, by Pellanco—Cloon (Joe, 11-3 ..... P. Moylan 1
Mr. R. H. Walker's REGAINED, 5, 11-3 .....
..... Mr. F. E. McKeever 2
Mr. W. W. Ashe's SIR MICHAEL, 4, 12-2 .....
..... P. Fitzgerald 3
Mr. L. Bell's Tullycross, 6, 12-2 ..... T. Cullen 0
Mr. M. N. Conway's Selangor, 4, 10-1 .....
..... Jas. Lenehan 0
Mr. J. A. Mangan's Mumshikari, 4, 10-2 .....
..... W. Claxton 0

(Winner trained by H. I. Ussher).

Betting—5 to 2 each agst. WANDERING WING. Sir Michael and Tullycross, 4 to 1 Regained, 100 to 8 Selangor, 80 to 1 Mumshikari.

Tote—Win (2/-), 7/-; places, 4/-, 13/6.

Tullycross and Selangor made joint running from Sir Michael, Wandering Wing and Regained, with Mumshikari last. Half a mile from home Sir Michael drew to the front closely attended by Selangor and Wandering Wing, with Tullycross last, to the second last flight of hurdles, where Wandering Wing took command from Regained, to win easily by three lengths; a neck separated Mumshikari was fourth and Selangor fifth. Time—3 mins 16 3-5 secs.

3.10—SCURRY PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap. 6 f. 63 yds.

Mr. R. Yuile's b. f. RAHAB, by Panzer, dam by Mediator—Wellford, 3, 8-7 ..... T. Burns 1
Major E. M. Conolly's LUCK GIFT, 4, 8-7 ..... A. Barrett 2
Mr. R. J. Duggan's CLICQUOT, 3, 8-12 .....
..... E. Gardner 3
Mr. W. J. Kelly's Knight of the Mist, 3, 8-7 .....
..... Jos. Canty 0
Mr. R. D. Seale's Lass of Rheims, 4, 8-13 .....
..... Jno. Doyle 0
Mr. B. M. Slocock's Artful Twinkle, 3, 8-3 .....
..... M. Nolan 0

(Winner trained by C. Prendergast.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Clicquot, 3 to 1 Lass of Rheims, 5 to 1 RAHAB, 100 to 8 Knight of the Mist, 20 to 1 each Luck Gift and Artful Twinkle.

Tote—Win (2/-), 7/-; places, 5/6, 25/6.

Clicquot was quickest to begin, and led from Lass of Rheims, Rahab and Artful Twinkle, with Knight of the Mist last, to the distance, where Luck Gift took second place. Close home Luck Gift was slightly in front, but Rahab, challenging, got up to win by half a length; a neck. Lass of Rheims was fourth and Artful Twinkle fifth. Time—1 min. 20 1-5 secs.

3.40—BEGINNERS' STAKES of 200 sovs. Second 50 sovs., third 20 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

Mr. J. T. Rogers's ch. f. TOLERATE, by Essex-ford—Miss Tolka, 9-1 ..... E. Gardner 1
Capt. Dixon's GREEK GLEN, 8-5 ..... T. Burns 2
Mr. B. M. Slocock's BELTERZO, 9-0 .....
..... John Doyle 3
Mr. I. J. Blake's Solingen, 9-0 ..... W. Wing 0
Mr. J. E. St. George's Dilly George, 9-0 .....
..... W. Howard 0
Major Dixon's Knockbreda, 8-10 ..... Jos. Canty 0
Mr. H. Kennedy's Oona, 8-10 ..... J. Moylan 0
Sir James Nelson's Red Amazon, 8-10 .....
..... G. McQuillan 0
Mr. F. Rogers's Philippa, 8-10 (car. 8-12) .....
..... E. Quirke 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. TOLERATE, 3 to 1 Greek Glen, 4 to 1 Knockbreda, 6 to 1 Belterzo, 8 to 1 Solingen, 20 to 1 each Oona and Philippa, 100 to 1 any other.

Tote—Win (2/-), 7/6; places, 4/-, 2/6, 4/-.

Belterzo led from Oona, Tolerate, and Greek Glen, with Solingen next, and Knockbreda at the head of the others. At the distance Greek Glen was leading slightly from Tolerate and Belterzo, but Tolerate, quickly securing command, won by half a length; same Solingen was fourth, Knockbreda fifth, Oona sixth, Dilly George seventh, and Red Amazon eighth. Time—68 1-5 secs.

4.10—FRIARSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 1 m.

Mr. R. More O'Ferrall's ch. g. DOUBLE BELL, by Bachelor's Double—Belle-Tot, 3, 8-12 .....
..... T. Burns 1
Mr. J. A. Mangan's ALSHARI, 3, 8-7 .....
..... Jos. Canty 2
Mr. Peter Kelly's BREAGAN, 5, 8-5 .....
..... L. Fitzpatrick 3
Mr. Jos. Maher's Ridgeway, 4, 8-5 .....
..... P. Prendergast 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Goolash, 4, 8-5 ..... E. Gardner 0
Col. F. Blacker's Negligee, 3, 7-7 ..... D. Gallagher 0
Mr. J. Cumpins's Mullewa, 3, 7-7 (car. 7-9) .....
..... John Doyle 0
Major Dixon's Ballykilbeg, 3, 7-7 ..... J. Conlon 0
Mr. H. Kinney's Rosaleen, 3, 7-7 ..... W. Howard 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Lofty, 3, 7-7 ..... W. Wing 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Goolash, 3 to 1 DOUBLE BELL, 10 to 1 each Alshari, Ballykilbeg, Rosaleen, and Lornto; 100 to 1 Breagan or any other.

Tote—Win (2/-), 4/6; places, 2/-, 2/6, 6/6.

Ballykilbeg led from Lornto, Goolash, Breagan, and Alshari, for half-way, when Ballykilbeg was challenged by Goolash and Double Bell. Close home Double Bell drew to the front, and holding all there at bay, won by half a length; three lengths. Goolash was fourth, Loreto fifth, and Ballykilbeg sixth. Time—1 min. 55 secs.

4.40—THE JUVENILE PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. For maiden two years old. 5 f.

Mr. I. J. Blake's b. c. KILLONE HILL, by Highborn II.—Derry Mount, 8-12 ..... M. Wing 1
Capt. G. A. Boyd-Rochfort's BELIEVE ME, 8-12 .....
..... P. Moylan 2
Mr. W. J. Kelly's SLIEVE DONARD, 8-12 .....
..... Jos. Canty 3
Mr. W. W. Ashe's Brilliant Jack, 8-12 .....
..... P. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. J. A. Mangan's Theoross, 8-7 (car. 8-10) .....
..... E. Gardner 0

Mr. Gould Shaw's Wonderful, 8-12 ..... John Doyle 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Mellifird, 8-12 ..... M. Barrett 0
Mr. R. S. (Croker's Cedarhurst, 8-12 ..... T. Burns 0
Mrs. P. Dunne Cullinan's Atropine, 8-12 ..... J. Evans 0
Mr. H. F. Evans's Sweet Heroine, 8-8 ..... Jas. Doyle 0
Major D. H. Farr's Alma, 8-8 ..... J. Healy 0
Capt. D. Rogers's Kopina, 8-8 ..... J. Healy 0
Sir V. Sassoon's Height Record, 8-8 ..... E. Gardner 0
Mr. M. Walsh's Maid Marzy, 8-8 ..... M. Wing 0

(Winner trained by Col. A. J. Blake.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Believe Me, 3 to 1 Slieve Donard, 5 to 1 Alpha, 8 to 1 Killone Hill, 100 to 8 each Cedarhurst and Atropine, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote—Win (2/-), 9/6; places, 2/6, 2/6, 2/6.

Maid Marzy stood still at the rise of the tape, and Atropine showed in front at the distance, with Cedarhurst and Killone Hill. Close home Cedarhurst was in front, with Killone Hill, Slieve Donard and Believe Me next, but Believe Me, on the rails Hill resisted the challenge of Believe Me to win by a head; a neck. Cedarhurst was fourth, Alpha fifth, Atropine sixth, and Height Record seventh. Time—58 1-5 secs.

5.10—NEWBRIDGE PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. Weight for age. 1¼ m.

Mr. J. A. Mangan's b. c. MANDRITSARA, by Pucka Sahib—Shannon Falcy, 3, 8-7 .....
..... Jos. Canty 1
Count McCormack's DOMREMY, 8-7 ..... T. Burns 2
Mr. C. Ambrose Clark's EASTER STAR, 3, 8-3 .....
..... M. Nolan 3

Sir T. Dixon's Toy, 3, 8-4 ..... T. Barrett 0
Mr. H. Kennedy's Cinnia, 5, 8-4 ..... W. Howard 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Loft, 3, 8-4 ..... W. Wing 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Toddle, 3, 8-4 ..... T. Barrett 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Mandritsara, 3 to 1 Domremy, 8 to 1 Easter Star, 100 to 8 Toddle, 25 to 1 Toy, 50 to 1 Easter Star or any other.

Tote—Win (2/-), 4/-; places, 2/6, 2/-.

Toy was closely attended by Easter Star, Loft and Domremy, with Mandritsara last, until coming into the straight, when Toy was followed by Loft and Cinnia. At the distance Mandritsara took the lead, and, drawing clear of Domremy, won easily by four lengths; eight lengths. Toddle was fourth, Toy fifth and Loft sixth. Time—2 mins. 21 3-5 secs.

TOTE DOUBLE.

Double Bell and Killone Hill—Dividend (5/-). £12 1/-. Seven winning tickets. Pool total, £95 15/-. Day's pool total, £771 1/-.

NEWMARKET NOTES.

YESTERDAY'S WORK ON THE HEATH : LIKELY WINNERS AT YORK

NEWMARKET, Tuesday.

CAPTAIN BOYD-ROCHFORT'S team was on the Racecourse side this morning, and Jacopo carried J. Childs in impressive style in a good pace gallop over one mile and a quarter, accompanied by Corn Belt, Pahokee and Flange, and it is hoped to get him to the post for the Coronation Cup at Epsom.

Rackety Lass has benefited by her race at our last fixture, and is now moving in quite her best style. She impressed in a good seven furlongs spin with Seminole, Farceuse and Vieste. She will give a good account of herself in the Great Northern Handicap at York on Thursday.

Briscoe's Insurance moved well in a good stripped two miles spin with Prudential, and he now appears to be approaching his best form.

Frank Butters sent Straight Sequence along over one mile by herself, and, despite being top weight in the Doncaster Handicap on Friday, she is going to prove difficult to beat.

The Derby colts, Dastur and Bulandahar, both looking fresh and well, were given easy five furlong exercise, as were Firdausi and Taj Ud Din.

I liked the manner in which Lord Dundas's Yamoto Ryu extended himself in a good stripped mile and a quarter gallop with Royal Entry, and he should be made a note of for a race over the distance of this morning's spin.

Day's Salisbury Cup candidate, Lord Bobs, was rattled along over the distance of that race, and he finished the spin strongly with The Pip, who joined in the last six furlongs.

Lambton's Oaks Stakes filly, Gindecca, was given a good pace gallop over one mile and a quarter by herself, and she moved well. Another good gallop in connection with that race was that which Hogg gave Ada Dear, who moved in quite his best style throughout a rattling pace gallop over one mile and a quarter with Evening Glory, British Sailor and Dusky Sue.

Coldstream, who now appears to be returning to his best form, showed plenty of dash in a fast six furlongs spin with Grandmaster.

One of the most interesting spins of the morning was that which B. Jarvis gave to his Derby charge, Hesperus. Ridden by Orme, he displayed his best form in a good stripped mile and a quarter gallop with Goyescas (Banham), The Sphinx II. and Tippets.

Jack Jarvis, before his departure to York, sent his Derby candidate, Miracle, the same distance at a nice pace with Light o' Love, Sandwich, Buoyant Bachelor, Wyvern and Royal Dancer.

We shall again be well represented at York to-morrow, and of our pair, Kildonan and Loft running for the Ainsty Selling Plate, I prefer the latter.

It should be a near thing between Talos and

GOLDEN LEGEND

for the Micklegate Handicap, and I am slightly in favour of the latter.

Bloater and Generous Gift are two well-fancied runners for the Eglinton Stakes, but I shall take a chance with

HAYSTACK.

The other likely runners are Hazel Oge f., Grey Lag and Rustom Begon.

We have five on the scene of action for the Yorkshire Cup, two of them, Sir Andrew and Sandals, being trained by Boyd-Rochfort, and both will get the distance well. Air Pocket has been a very consistent performer, and I prefer him to Scottish Fusilier. Norland has been showing up well in her gallops over the distance of this event, and I understand she is fancied, but next to

SIR ANDREW,

I like the chance of Air Pocket.

Grand Prince, Cardinal, Absurdum, Talpra and

CLACHANEASY

represent us in the Stamford Selling Handicap, and I have most liking for the last-named.

We have Sail, Chalo, Highlander, Orbazia, Moti Gegum and

ESTORIL

running for the Scarborough Sweepstakes, and I shall rely upon the last-named.

BURMAN

should account for Belle Soleil and Glengubbie in the Hambleton Maiden Plate.

At Bath

CHORIST

should win the Somersetshire Stakes.

BOXING.

PETERSEN GETS THE BIG CHANCE.

TO MEET MEEN FOR HEAVY-WEIGHT TITLE.

Jack Petersen, who won the cruiser-weight title of Great Britain when he outpointed Harry Crossley on Monday night, may in another month's time become the heavy-weight champion. The British Boxing Board of Control announced yesterday that the administrative stewards have decided to recognise the contest at Wimbledon on June 28th between Petersen and Reggie Meen as for the heavy-weight championship of Great Britain, at present held by Meen.

"NO FOUL" RULE IN GAINSBORO'-CARNERA FIGHT.

The American "no foul" rule will be introduced when Primo Carnera and Larry Gains fight at the White City, London, on May 30. The men will wear specially designed protectors, such as those approved in America. Another novel condition about the match is that the men will wear white gloves.

HOCKEY.

SIX-A-SIDE TOURNAMENT.

The following games will be played this evening at Chalgrove Park, S.C. road:—

Men—5.45 (A), Six Horsemen v. Robins; 6.10 (B), Clonliffe v. College of Surgeons "A"; 6.35 (C), Hawks v. Clontarf.

Ladies—7.0 (A), Old Wesley "B" v. Grasshoppers; 7.25 (B), Chancers v. Bohemians; 7.50 (C), Old Wesley "A" v. Bay Pirates; 8.15 (D), Pembroke Wanderers "C" v. Graftonian "B"; 8.45 (E), Graftonian "C" v. Pembroke Wanderers "B."

LAWN TENNIS.

DRAW FOR FRENCH SINGLES TITLES.

DEFEAT OF ENGLISH DOUBLES PAIR.

PARIS, Tuesday.

The draw for the French men's and women's singles championships was made to-day. F. J. Perry heads the men's list, while H. Cochet is in the bottom place, and there is every prospect of these two meeting in the final. Another great match is almost certain to take place in the women's singles. Fraulein Aussem, who won the title last year against Miss Betty Nuthall, heads the draw, while Mrs. Wills Moody, the United States and former Wimbledon champion, is at the bottom.

The English players in the men's singles are evenly distributed. In the first quarter are F. J. Perry, F. Matejka, R. Menzel, J. Brugnon and J. G. Collins. In the second, S. Wood, the Wimbledon champion; R. Lacoste, G. von Cramm, H. D. Nusslee, G. de Stefani, H. P. David and A. Merlin. G. L. Rogers, the Irish Davis Cup player; Alain Gerbault, C. Boussus, M. Bernard, J. S. Olliff and J. Satoh are in the third quarter, while in the bottom quarter are P. Feret, G. Mangin, G. P. Hughes, with H. Cochet at the bottom.

Mme. Mathieu, Miss Ryan, Miss M. A. Thomas, Miss Helen Jacobs, Miss Scriven and Mlle. Metaxa are all in the top half of the draw, while in the lower half are Signorina Valerio, Mrs. Fearnley Whittingstall, Mlle. Adamoff, Miss Hewitt, Mlle. Payot, Senorita D'Alvarez, with Mrs. Wills Moody.

The surprise of yesterday's play was the defeat of the British Davis Cup players by Artens and Matejka, of Austria. Details:—

MEN'S DOUBLES—SECOND ROUND.

H. Cochet and J. Brugnon (France) w.o., Sing Sahib and Rajha (India), scr.

F. J. Perry and J. S. Olliff (Great Britain) beat Siba and Kozany (Czechoslovakia)—6-4, 6-2, 6-3.

H. Artens and F. Matejka (Austria) beat H. P. David and H. G. N. Lee (Great Britain)—6-1, 3-6, 1-6, 6-4, 6-4.

G. P. Hughes and I. G. Collins (Great Britain) beat L. de Borman and G. Van Zuylen (Belgium)—7-5, 10-8, 6-4.

R. Mikl and J. Satoh (Japan) beat R. Rodel and E. du Plaix (France)—6-1, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2.

J. Boroita and A. Gentien (France) beat A. Bernard and Dati (France)—6-3, 6-2, 6-1.

THIRD ROUND.

H. Cochet and J. Brugnon (France) beat J. Mital and F. Terrier (France)—6-3, 6-3.

G. Mangin and S. Wood (U.S.) beat P. and J. Grandjean (Egypt)—6-3, 2-6, 6-4.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES—SECOND ROUND.

Mrs. L. A. Godfree and Miss James (Great Britain) beat Mme. Henrotin and Mlle. Mefaxa (France)—6-3, 4-6, 7-5.

Mlle. Canters and Mlle. Cooquerque (Holland) beat Miss Scriven and Miss Hewitt (Great Britain) —7-5, 6-4.

Miss M. A. Thomas (Great Britain) and Mlle. Adamoff (France) beat Fraulein Krahwinkel and Fraulein Peltz (Germany)—6-0, 6-3.

Senorita D'Alvarez (Spain) and Mlle J. Sigart (Belgium) beat Mme. Corbiere and Mlle. Berthet—6-4, 6-2.

MIXED DOUBLES—SECOND ROUND.

J. Brugnon (France) and Miss Ryan beat J. S. Olliff (Gt. Britain) and Mme. Pons (Spain)—6-2, 6-1.

A. Martin Legeay and Mme. Matthieu beat E. Lewis and Mme. Payot—6-3, 6-3.

SECOND ROUND.

S. Wood and Mrs. Wills Moody (U.S.) beat F. Matejka (Austria) and Mme. Curtis (Holland)—9-11, 6-3, 6-0.

G. de Stefani and Mlle. Valerio (Italy) beat P. Feret (France) and Miss Hewitt (Great Britain)—6-3, 6-0.

G. P. Hughes and Mrs. L. A. Godfree (Great Britain) beat J. Grandjean (Egypt) and Mlle. Barbier (France)—6-4, 4-6, 6-3.

BATH RESULTS.

2.0—LANSDOWN SELLING PLATE of 150 sovs.

Mr. H. T. Rich's STEPHANIA FILLY, by Polyphontes, 8-11 ..... R. Dick 1
Mr. G. E. Hartigan's UNITED, 4-8-11 .....
..... G. Richards 2
Brigadier-General F. C. More Molyneux's MISS TERRY, 8-11 ..... Balding 3

Also ran:—Binfield (G. Bezant), Don McSweeney (K. Gethin), Dancing Dora (J. Collins), Solar Queen, Sphinx (F. Evans), Dusty Miller (J. Cox), Aye Aye filly (H. Graves), Neglected filly (J. Tirley), Diamond Wedding (J. G. Canty), Donalbane filly (A. Wilson), Bluegrass (D. Donoghue), Willena filly (W. Lister), Linggaye (S. Palmer), Parpyra (Dr. Sharpe), Purple Robe filly (F. Herbert), Zoom (Mr. Loughlin), Lochinvar (J. Fox), Arewin (E. Forsyth). Off 2.3. (Winner trained by Cundell.)

Betting—3 to 2 agst. STEPHANIA FILLY, 6 to 1 United Empire colt, 13 to 2 Solar Queen gelding, 8 to 1 each Don McSweeney and Cuchestes, 10 to 1 Neglected filly, 100 to 8 each Mystery and Donalbane filly, 100 to 6 each Purple Robe filly and Parpyra, 33 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 5/-; places, 2/9, 3/6, 12/3.

Won by one and a half lengths; three lengths. Don McSweeney was fourth and Binfield a mint last.

The winner was bought in for 540 gns.

2.30—DYRHAM PARK MAIDEN PLATE of 200 sovs. Three years old. 1 m.

Mr. E. Thornton-Smith's br. c. TALISMAN, by Knight of the Garter—Moonstone, 9-0 .....
..... F. Fox 1
Mr. V. Hobbs's SICCA, 8-11 ..... P. Donoghue 2
Lord Woolavington's MANNER, 8-11 .....
..... G. Richards 3

Also ran:—Tabasco (G. Bezant), Result (H. Graves), Oratorio (R. Dick), Benrimus (B. Carslake), Colombina (A. Wragg), Happy Jill (C. Dick), Helen Bewart (G. Williams). Dead heat for second place. Off 2.31. (Winner trained by Templeman.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Manner, 5 to 2 TALISMAN, 7 to 1 Colombina, 8 to 1 Tabasco, 10 to 1 each Benrimus and Happy Jill, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 6/3; places, Talisman 2/6, Manner 2/6, Sicca 5/9.

Won by three lengths; dead heat, Colombina was fourth and Benrimus last.

3.0—BADMINTON PLATE of 200 sovs. Two years old. 5 f.

Mr. E. H. Gregory's b. g. LEMHURST, by Hurstwood—Lady of Lemnos, 8-11 .....
..... K. Gethin 1
Lord Woolavington's SWEET OLIVE, 8-11 .....
..... G. Richards 2

Lord Portman's GRAYLING, 8-11 ..... C. Dick 3

Also ran—Fixing c. (F. Herbert), Bold Brigand (P. Connolly), Georgian (F. Fox), Lord-in-Waiting (F. Jarvis), Salamus, (G. Bezant), Violation (S. Smith), Bongobaila f. (M. Prendergast), Musician (E. Forsyth), Martienne (A. Berry), Salve (W. Lister). Off 3.3. (Winner trained by Dugdill.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. LEMHURST, 3 to 1 Calamus, 7 to 1 Fixing c., 10 to 1 each Grayling and Sweet Olive, 100 to 6 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 4/5; places, 2/9, 3/9, 4/9.

Won by six lengths; three lengths, Georgian was fourth and Lord-in-Waiting last.

3.30—BATH SPRING HANDICAP, a plate of 500 sovs. 5 f.

Lord Portman's gr. g. BALLY CLOSING, by Dunan Gray—Short Holiday, 5, 8-3 .....
..... R. Dick 1
H.H. Maharaja of Rajpipla's MUSICTAL STAR, 5, 7-13 ..... F. Smith 2
Mr. E. C. Dawson's PENTILLA, 5, 7-1 .....
..... F. Bartlam 3

Also ran—Polar Bear (B. Carslake), Lone Isle (F. Fox), Brassie (S. Wragg), Agitate (G. Richards), St. Abbs (J. Sirett), Trojan (G. Williams). Off 3.32. (Winner trained by Farquharson.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. EARLY CLOSING, 4 to 1 Agitate, 6 to 1 Lone Isle, 8 to 1 St. Abbs, 10 to 1 each Polar Bear, Brassie and Pentilla, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 4/6; places, 2/9, 17/6, 5/9.

Won by two lengths; a neck. St. Abbs was fourth and Trojan last.

4.0—TRADESMEN'S SELLING HANDICAP, a plate of 100 sovs. 6 f.

Mr. F. Shenstone's b. m. ALONE, by Aldegrond—Countess Delia, 5, 8-3 ..... S. Wragg 1
Mr. J. Hoboken's COACH FARE, 3, 6-13 .....
..... F. Sharpe 2
Mr. Hugh Peel's WATERCRESS, 4, 6-11 .....
..... E. Smith 3

Also ran:—Portraitist (T. Bartlam), Cretan Lassie (R. Dick), Lion d' Angers (F. Lane), Hoops (H. Graves), Ryevale (T. Barber), Helen Summer (R. Whitehouse), The Sparrow (J. Hunter), Protection (E. Fox), Blue Lightning (J. Sirett), Lemsilver (A. Smirke), Doubtful Daniel (F. Hudson), Henwood (W. Elliott). Off 4.3. (Winner trained by Butchers.)

Betting—100 to 30 ALONE, 5 to 1 Hoops, 11 to 2 Watercress, 6 to 1 Cretan Lassie, 8 to 1 Blue Lightning, 100 to 8 Lemsilver, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 10/3; places, 5/-, 68/9, 5/3.

Won by a head; three lengths. Lion d' Angers was fourth and Henwood last.

The winner was bought in for 110 gns.

4.30—DODDINGTON HANDICAP, a plate of 100 sovs. About 1¼ m. 200 yds.

Mr. A. Douglas Pennant's b. h. PRINCE NOIR, by Comrade—Puntaremas, 6, 7-10 .....
..... G. Richards 1
Mr. Hunter Simmonds's PLASTER OF PARIS, 5, 7-0 ..... T. Barber 2
Mr. V. Hobbs's PETER DAWSON, 5, 7-1 .....
..... K. Robertson 3

Also ran:—True Copy (F. Fox), Gay Amour (T. Bartlam), Mooltan (J. Sirett), Hollo Marten (G. Roberts), Vivacious (A. Smirke), Green Eagle (B. Lynch), Dry Royal (F. Hunter), Tar Wood (E. Smith), Tons of Luck (F. Sharpe). Off 4.31. (Winner trained by Cundell.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Plaster of Paris, 9 to 2 PRINCE NOIR, 11 to 2 Peter Dawson, 15 to 2 True Copy, 7 to 1 Dry Royal, 10 to 1 each Vivacious and Mooltan, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by two lengths; four lengths. Gay Amour was fourth and Vivacious last.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 11/6; places, 4/-, 3/3, 3/-.

Totalisator daily double—Lemhurst and Alone. Win dividend, £6 16/-. Pool, £235 10/-. Thirty-one winning tickets.

MOTOR CYCLING.

SKERRIES WHITSUNTIDE TRIAL.

The following awards have been made by the Skerries and District Motor Cycle Club in connection with their motor cycle trial at Whitsuntide:—Grand Hotel Cup (solo)—F. G. Holmes.

Hopkins and Hopkins Cup (side-car)—Wm. O'Neill.

Novice Award—S. Martin.

Second Class Awards—J. Daff, J. R. Ross, T. Carroll and R. Drew.

CYCLING.

TWENTY-FOUR HOURS' "RECORD" BROKEN.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Hubert Opperman, the Australian cyclist, to-day created a new world's indoor "record" for the 24 hours' ride, covering 550 miles 347 yards, which beat the previous "record" of 518 miles 1,408 yards, set up in 1906 by the Frenchman, E. Bouhours. Opperman continued riding, and covered the 1,000 miles in 28 hours 55 minutes 19 seconds.

GOLF.

IRISHMAN'S SUCCESS.

M. CROWLEY BEATS AMERICAN HOPE IN BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE feature of the second day's play in the British Amateur Championship at Sullane was a brilliant victory for J. M. Crowley, of Portmarnock, who beat the American hope, Leonard Martin, by two up. Crowley has played for Ireland for several years past, but this is his best performance in a championship. He has never won a title, for he has always shown himself a far better medal player than match winner. If his touch on the greens remains good he will prove extremely hard to beat, for few amateur players can equal him for length and accuracy with his wooden clubs, and Gullane is suitable to the long hitter. Yesterday Crowley was two down with six to play, but then produced fireworks, doing the next six holes in three under fours, to win on the home green by two up. On Monday Martin had beaten the holder, Eric Martin Smith. During the winter and spring Crowley played very little golf, and the rest seems to have benefited his game.

AN AMERICAN SUCCESS.

The other sensation of the day was the defeat of Leonard Crawley, last year's winner of the English championship, a semi-finalist this year, and a member of the British Walker Cup team, by David Martin, champion of California, who is no relation to Leonard Martin. It was a tediously slow match, Crawley frequently walking thirty or forty yards forward to study the line of his shots, and being equally deliberate with his putts. The Englishman was one down at the turn, squared at the tenth, and holed a chip at the twelfth for the lead. The American went in front at the fifteenth, and, holding on to his narrow lead, won on the last green.

Andrew Jamieson, a youthful Scot, accomplished nine holes in 33, to be five up on William Sutton, a British international, whom he defeated. Charles Sweeny, the Oxford University captain, did nine holes in 34, to be three under fours, when he beat E. B. Tipping.

There were unexpected results, such as the defeat of W. L. Hope, a British international, by Henry Howell, the Welsh golfer, and, to make the hopes of the Walker Cup nominees more dismal, Rex Hartley was beaten by D. M. Stocks, who has an exceedingly good local reputation. Roger Wethered played very poorly against Robert Sweeny, who went out in 40, and was three up, and came home in one under fours, which indicates the quality of Wethered's golf. Results:—

FIRST ROUND (Concluded).

William Tulloch (Catskin Braes) beat J. C. Cowley (Hallowes)—2 up.

R. B. Denholm (Bass Rock) beat J. F. Mac-Donell (Royal Aberdeen)—6 and 5.

Donald Fraser (Royal Ancient) beat Hugh M. Gow (Prestwick)—4 and 3.

Sir Robert McLean (St. George's Hill) beat T. G. Mclelland (Royal Portrush)—3 and 2.

Alastair E. McLeod (Old Course, Ranfurly) beat Captain G. A. Moxon (Carlisle and Silloth), 7 up.

James Milne (Dornoch) beat Dr. A. D. Bowman (Carlisle and Silloth)—5 and 3.

Brigadier-General A. C. Critchley (Prince's) beat Commander R. Arnold Wilson (Addington)—2 and 1.

Comte M. de Borchgrave (Royal Knocke, Belgium) w.o. Redmond Simeon (Cork) scr.

M. F. Viandy (Fontaillon) beat A. G. Thornton (Brunisshed Links)—1 at the 19th.

Major Hall (Duddingston) w.o.; W. A. Powell (Addington) scr.

Dr. A. Lo Bianco (Royal and Ancient) beat J. T. Campbell (Gullane)—4 and 3.

P. D. Miller (Roehampton) beat H. Thomson (Machrihanish) at 19th.

Dr. Oppenheimer (Royal and Ancient) beat **Dr. John D. MacCormack (Grange)**, 1 up.

Scott Graham (Royal Wimbledon) beat D. MacEwen, jun. (Ballochmyle)—3 and 2.

J. McLean (Hayston) beat G. Dempster (Kilspindie)—2 and 1.

Dr. A. Peatie (Glasgow) beat J. D. Dewar (Turnhouse), 1 up.

T. A. Torrance (Royal and Ancient) beat G. T. Cheape (Honourable Company)—4 and 3.

Robert A. McKinna (Craig-Millar Park) beat S. E. Banks (Hallamshire), at 20th.

C. Hirsch (Beaconsfield) beat A. P. Morrison (Troon), 1 up.

W. Cook (Bingsknowe) beat R. M. McLaren (Honourable Company), 3 up.

T. B. Mauson (Dumfries and Galloway) beat Major W. H. Elkins (Selangor, F.M.S.), 4 up.

S. A. McKuvie (Leven) w.o.; E. F. Storey (Royal Worlington) scr.

Robertson (Halifax) beat A. J. D. Blaikie (Royal Musselburgh)—2 and 1.

H. G. Bentley (Hesketh) beat W. J. Guild (Murrayfield)—3 and 2.

H. M. Dickson (Glasgow) beat J. S. Morrison (Sunningdale), 1 up.

Lieut.-Colonel J. C. G. Moore-Brabazon (Wallasey) beat A. T. Roberts (Craig-Millar Park)—3 and 2.

H. Shaw (Timperley) w.o.; E. Noel Layton (Walton Heath) scr.

W. F. Scott (Glasgow) beat D. S. Wemyss, jun. (Turnhouse)—2 and 1.

Bernard Darwin (Woking) beat A. B. Stanley (Benton Park)—4 and 3.

David Martin (California Country, U.S.A.) beat Leonard Crawley (Pinnacesfield Castle), 1 up.

Stuart Forsyth (Royal Burgess) beat Joshua Crane (Brooklina, U.S.A.), 2 up.

H. Bruce (Sunningdale) beat Dr. F. Scroggie (Port Elizabeth, South Africa)—3 and 2.

Charles Sweeny (Prince's) beat E. B. Tipping (Walton Heath)—3 and 2.

W. Sharpe (Dunbar) beat J. N. Nelson (Gullane), 2 up.

W. Wills Mackenzie (Mortonhall) beat H. M. Todd (Royal Musselburgh)—4 and 3.

Dr. W. Tweddell (Stourbridge) beat R. Ritchie (Circleton Castle)—5 and 1.

SECOND ROUND.

K. G. Patrick (Stirling) beat Greig (St. Andrews, New)—1 up.

H. G. McCallum (Troon) beat Captain J. R. A. Strayan (Sunningdale)—2 up.

Bernard Drew (Royal Cinque Ports) beat I. Sidebottom (Disley)—4 and 3.

K. G. Forbes (Leven) beat **A. W. Briscoe (Castlerea)**—5 and 2.

L. C. Munn (Royal Cinque Ports) beat W. A. Cochrane (Gullane)—3 and 2.

C. D. Gray (Royal Mid-Surrey) beat G. M. Adams (Gaves, Rio Janeiro)—2 and 1.

Alaric de Forest (Addington) beat Hon. Michael Scott (Royal St. George's)—at 19th.

H. R. Rowell (Glamorganshire) beat W. L. Hope (St. George's Hill)—

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

TONE AND COMMENT

DUBLIN STEADY.

BANK STOCK RECOVERING.

The feature of Dublin Stock Market again yesterday was the recovery in Bank of Ireland Stock, which closed seven points up at 283, a rise of 13 points in two days. Royal also regained a fraction of the recent loss.

Free State Funds were inclined to be easier, and Land Bonds, now ex div., lost ½ at 96½. War Loan Fives were also slightly lower.

Guinness units remained at 64s., but the Prefs. were fractionally higher at 113. Bids for some Cables Stocks were better.

The Industrial market was distinguished by weakness in most of the Textile issues, Bleachers, Cottons and Spinners all depreciating. Coats held firm at 39s. 6d., ex div., but Chemicals, Imperial Tobaccos, Unilevers and Lever 7 per cent. all lost a little ground. British International Pictures have dwindled away to 3s. 3d., and Associated British Cinemas to even less. Electric and Musical Industries are down to 8s. 6d.

The Stock Exchange will be closed on Saturday next, May 28.

LONDON WEAK.

"CANPACS" REACH NEW LOW RECORD.

The easier tendency apparent in the London Stock Markets on Monday was continued yesterday, and the continuance of speculative profit-taking in certain directions, and the want of attention on the part of the public generally, led to a further all-round recession in values, with a number of outstanding weak features. The Gilt-edged market was rather heavily affected by profit-taking sales, and losses of a somewhat severe character were general, there was a further marking down of values among Foreign Government Stocks, while among Rails, "Can-Pacs" reached a new low record of 13. The Industrial sections, as a whole, were quiet, and in the lack of public support prices again closed an easier trend. The decision of the Stock Exchange Committee that the House shall be closed on Saturday next occasioned no surprise, for it is generally accepted that the volume of trading passing on the few occasions recently when the House has been open for business on the sixth day, has fallen below even the least sanguine expectations. Speculative profit-taking continued to exercise an adverse influence in the Gilt-edged section, the flow of selling orders being on even larger scale than was the case on Monday. As a consequence, the losses sustained were in several directions of considerable amounts. The 3½ per cent. Conversion Loan were the heaviest sufferers, and at the end a decline of no less than 1¼ points was shown to 87½, while the 5 per cents. and 4½ per cent. were ¾ and ½ lower respectively. Funding Loan, Victory Bonds, and the 2½ per cent. and 4 per cent. Consols were other weak markets, while Local Loans also suffered a sharp marking down. War Loan Fives closed only a fraction easier, but the 4½ per cent. exceptionally were finally quoted at an advance of ¼ at 101¾. Following the previous day's marking down, Foreign Government Stocks yesterday displayed a rather steadier tendency, but the trend of values was again adverse to holders, though movements were few. Czechoslovakia Bonds, however, slumped further to 74, a loss of 10 points, while Greek Sevens lost 5 points, and German Sevens a further point. British Rails attracted but scanty attention, and values dipped still further in several instances. Colonial and Foreign Rails also went off, with Canadian Pacifics reaching a new low record at 13. "B.A.G.S." also lost a point to 25, with Entre Rios 6 per cent. Cum. Pref. 2 points down at 40½. As mentioned above, in the Industrial sections, although firm features were not altogether lacking, the vast majority of movements were against holders. Breweries, Motors, and Stores were all easier, and Shipping and Textile descriptions moved back, while the Miscellaneous Industrials went off. In other directions, Oils were uncertain, though Lobitos were favoured on the dividend announcement, which came up to the market's most optimistic expectations. Mines generally presented an easier front..

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

FUNDS LOWER. BANK STOCK HIGHER. GUINNESS UNCHANGED. INDUSTRIALS HEAVY.

In Funds, National Loan lost ¼ at 101¾, and do. Deed ¼ at 101½. Third Loan repeated 95½, and do. Deed changed hands at 95⅝. Land Bonds shed ¼ at 96½, do. Small lots under £200) ¼ at 96⅝, and 5 per cent. War Loan ¼ at 101⅞, after 101¾.

Bank of Ireland rose 7 points at 283, after 280; Royal ¼ at 12¼, and National repeated 41s. 3d.

Guinness unchanged at 64s., and the Prefs. hardened ¼ at 113.

In Rails, Great Southern Ord. unaltered at 6, and L.M.S. Debs. changed hands at 80¾ and do. 5s., Dunlops 4¼d. at 10s. 1½d., Sewing Cottons 10¼d. at 22s., Fine Spinners 10½d. at 10s. 6d. Chemicals 4½d. at 13s., after 13s. 1½d.; "Imps" 1½d. at 76s. 7½d., Lever 7 per cent. Pref. 1½d. at 20s. 10½d., and Unilever 7½d. at 26s. 1½d. Coats changed hands at 39s. 6d., and Independent Pref. put on 1½d. to 19s. 9d.

"Other business done" will be found at foot of annexed table.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Nat. Loan..(1024)	101¾	
Do. Deed..(1024)	101¾	
Third Loan.....(1925)	95⅝	
Do. Deed	95⅝	
Land Bonds...(1947)	96¼	
Do. Deed (small lots under £200) ..(974)	96¼	
Consd. 4% Loan .....(974)	96¼	
5% War Loan (1019)	101¾	
Bank Stock (276c)	101¾	⅞
National ....(41/3)	280c 80c 41¾	
Royal .....(12)	12½	
Hibernian.....(64/-)	64/-	
Do. Pref..... (113)	113	
Cables A (12½)	114b 12¾a	
Do. B ..... (79)	79 8a	
Do. Pref..(39)	36b 37a	
G.S. Ord.....	(6) 6	
L.M.S. Deb.....	80½	
Bleachers .....(10/-)	8/6	
Coats	39/6	
Courtaulds .....(27/10½)	26/10b 27/14a	
Dunlops .....(10/6)	10/1¼	

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	June 6
Ticket	June 7
Intermediate	May 25 June 8
Account Day	May 26 June 9

BELFAST.

There was little business on change to-day, and the general tone was dull, price movements being unimportant. Business done — 5 per cent. War Loan, 101⅝, ⅛; 4 per cent. Consols, 97½, 5 per cent. Ulster Loan, 104½; 4½ per cent. Guaranteed Bonds, 102; Northern Bank "A," 93s., 14d.; Midland Bank (partly paid), 70s. 3d.; and P. Coats, 40s.; Inglis, 85s. 6d.; Imperial Tobacco, 77s.; Mitchell's Pref., 6½; Shells, 34s.; Imperial Chemical Pref., 22s.; Morris Pref., 23s.

CORK.

Cash Pref. buyers 14s., Cork Corporation Old done at 82, 3 per cent. at 75, and 3½ per cent. New Stock at 70, Daly Deb. sellers 40, Robertson Leslie Ord. sells s. T Lyons and Co. £4 paid, £5 paid and Pref. sellers, McCarthy Pref. sellers 65s., Murphy Deb. dealt in at 60, Thompson Pref. buyers 52s. 6d.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

Tuesday Night.

STOCKS AND SHARES:

London weak.

Dublin steady.

Manchester Textiles easier.

Birmingham Motors dull.

New York heavy.

MONEY:

Bank of England Rate	2½	p.c.
Last Year	2½	p.c.
Irish Banks' Rate	3½	p.c.
London Day-to-Day Loans ...	1	p.c.
London Fine 3-Months' Bills	1¼-1½	p.c.

THE INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

GUINNESS SUPPORTED.

There was almost an entire absence of support in the Industrial Market yesterday, and with scattered liquidation in evidence from the provincial centres, values generally found lower levels.

The trans-Atlantic counters moved within narrow limits, and in the absence of any definite lead from Wall Street, finished on the dull side.

"Emmies" hardened a trifle at first, but eventually closed unchanged on the day.

Cables and Wireless Stocks had a somewhat steadier appearance on the April traffic receipts, but values showed little alteration at the close.

Apart from Singers, the Motor section reflected the general trend. Leylands weakened to 30s. 3d., while Austins receded to 25s., Fords to 19s. 6d., and Rolls-Royce to 33s. 3d.

Further consideration of the dividend announcement led to selling of Woolworth Ord., which finished 10½d. lower at 52s. 6d.

In the Provision and Catering section Tate and Lyles were offered, and gave way 7½d. to 39s. 10½d. The Unilever twins again shed ⅛ to 1⅞.

With the exception of a little support for some of the Pref. issues, Textiles continued unsettled. Bradford Dyers dwindled to 5s. 6d., Slubbers to 3s. 4½d., and Fine Spinners to 10s. 6d., the rest closing fairly steady.

In the Rayon section Courtaulds were subject to further scattered sales from the provinces and finished 9d. lower at 26s. 10½d. British Celanese, however, rallied to 5s. 9d.

Breweries developed an easier tendency in places, but the declines recorded did not amount to much. On the other hand, Guinness maintained their recent improvement, while Bass, Ind Coope, and Watney Defd. were fairly steady around the overnight level.

The Tobacco leaders presented an uncertain appearance. "Bats" were marked down ⅛ to 3½, while "Imps" lost the turn at 3⅛. Carreras and Gallahers ruled quietly steady.

Banking and Insurance descriptions again had a heavy appearance in common with the further recessions in the Gilt-edged market.

Many of the leading issues in the Miscellaneous section finished at lower levels, notably Imperial Chemicals, which were offered on provincial account, and closed 7½d. lower at 12s. 7½d. The Pref. eased to 21s. 9d., while the Defd. gave way a few pence to 2s. 10½d. Molasses sagged to 4s. 7½d. Dunlops dipped below 10s. in the earlier dealings, but became a steadier market around the former level later in the day and closed unchanged. The Swedish issues were neglected.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active Stocks and Shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols 64, 3⅞, 3⅝, 3½, 3⅜, 1, 1⅛, 5⅛, 5⅜, 5⅝, 5⅞, 6. War Loan, 101⅜, 1⅜, 1⅛, 5⅛, 5⅜, 5⅝, 5⅞, 6. Funding Loan, 101⅜, 1⅜, 1⅛, 5⅛, 5⅜, 5⅝, 5⅞, 6. Victory Bonds, 101⅜, 1⅜, 1⅛, 5⅛, 5⅜, 5⅝, 5⅞, 6. 3½% Conversion Loan, 87½, 7⅞, 8, 8⅛, 8¼, 8⅜, 8½, 8⅝, 8¾, 8⅞, 9. 4% Conversion Loan, 97½, 7⅞, 8, 8⅛, 8¼, 8⅜, 8½, 8⅝, 8¾, 8⅞, 9. 4½% Conversion Loan, 101⅜, 1⅜, 1⅛, 5⅛, 5⅜, 5⅝, 5⅞, 6. 5% Conversion Loan, 107½, 7⅞, 8, 8⅛, 8¼, 8⅜, 8½, 8⅝, 8¾, 8⅞, 9. India, 3%, 88, 8⅞, 9. Do. 3½%, 79, 9⅛, 9⅜, 9½, 9⅝, 9¾, 9⅞, 10. Do. 4%, 88, 8⅞, 9. Do. 4½%, 98, 9⅛, 9⅜, 9½, 9⅝, 9¾, 9⅞, 10. Do. 5%, 89½, 9⅝, 9¾, 9⅞, 10. Local Loans, 102¼, 3⅛, 3⅜, 3½, 3⅝, 3¾, 3⅞, 4. Sudan 4½%, 73½, 7⅝, 7¾, 7⅞, 8. 4½% Loan, 109, 111, 2, 2⅛, 2¼, 2⅜, 2½, 2⅝, 2¾, 2⅞, 3.

Anglo-American, 3½, 4½. Anglo-Ecuadorian, 5/8, 6/3. Anglo-Egyptian "B," 19/6, 20/-. Anglo-Iranian Oil, 1½, 1⅝. Do. 6 p.c. 1st Pref., 24½, 25. Do. 5 p.c. 2nd Pref., 24½, 25. Apex Trinidad (5/ shares), 10½, 11. Ashtead, 2/-, 2/3. Associated Portland Cement, 44/-, 45/-. Bank of British Borneo Pet. (10/), 2/-, 2/3. British Burmah (50), 3/3, 4/3. British Controlled Oilfields, 1½, 1⅝. Do. Pref., 2, 2⅛. Burmah, 27/6, 28/-. Do. 8 p.c. Pref., 25½, 26. Canadian Eagle Oil, 4/7½, 4/10½. Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. (£2), 8½, 9/1½. Do. 8 p.c. Pref., 6/9, 7/-. Kern River (10/), 1/3, 1/6. Lobitos, 1/9, 1/10½. Mexican Eagle Oil, 5/6, 5/9. Do. 8 p.c. Pref., 5/6, 5/9. Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. (4 pesos), 6½, 6 10½. North Caucasian (10/), 9½, 10. Pan-American "B," 20, 21. Phoenix Oil, 3/3, 3/6. Do. 1/ shares, 1/6, 2/9. Royal Dutch, 13, 13½. Shell Transport, 31½, 31⅝. Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10), 21, 21½. Do. 7 p.c. Pref., 23/6, 23/9. Steaua Romana, 4/6, 4/9. Tankers Pref., 2/3, 2/7½. Trinidad Central, 1/9, 2/0. Trinidad Leaseholds, 19½, 11½. V.O.C. Holdings, 1½, 1⅝. Do. 7 p.c. Pref., 1/3, 1/9.

Anglo-Dutch, 6/3, 6/4½. Anglo-Java, 6/2, 6/3. Anglo-Malay, 3/9, 4/-. Bukit Mentok, 6/7½, 7/-. Bukit Sembawang, 6/3, 6/7½. Brand Central, 4/-, 4/6. Highlands, 4/6, 5/-. Jugra Land, 3/6, 3/9. Kuala Lumpur, 15/9, 16/-. Langat, 1/2, 1/3. London Asiatic, 1/2, 1/3. Malacca, 6/3, 6/6. Malayalam, 6/4½, 6/6. Merliman, 0/4½, 0/5. Rubber Trust, 8/10½, 9/-. Tandjong, 3/9, 4/-. Tandjong Malim, 7/3, 7/6. Unified Sua Betong, 4/10½, 5/-.

Allagar, 0/4½, 0/5. Bahi Tin, 0/4½, 0/5. Bernam Perk, 0/4½, 0/5. Brit Ld. Trak, 15½, 16. Do. Pref., 15½, 16. Broome Sol, 1/3, 1/4. Charoenmo, 1/10½, 1/11. Cicely, 1/3, 1/4. Eastern Trst, 7/6, 8/-. F.M.S. Plant, 8/9, 9/-. Gen. Ceylon, 4/4½, 4/6. Glenbervie, 1/3, 1/4. Golden Hope, 1/3, 1/4. Java Amal, 3/3, 3/4½. Katunning, 1/6, 1/7½. Kepitigalla, 0/3, 0/4½. Kuala Sel, 0/9, 0/10½. Larut, 0/2, 0/3. Laras Deb, 15/-, 16/-. Lolbury, 1/-, 1/1½. Malacca, 2/6, 2/9. Mayer & Co., 1/3, 1/4½. Rambong, 0/3, 0/4½. Rim Kalang, 0/3, 0/4½. Sedenak, 0/3, 0/4½. Seelang Crati, 1/10½, 2/-. Semenyih Assoc, 0/3, 0/4½. Sungei Kpar, 0/6, 0/7½. Sungei Siput, 0/6, 0/7½. Tanjong, 0/3, 0/4½. Telogredio, 2/9, 3/-. Yam Seng, 0/9, 0/10½.

Anglo-Continental Guano, 5/-, 5/3. Antofagasta Ord., 9½, 11½. Do. Pref., 30, 35. Bahia Blanca Guar. Sta., 12, 13. Buenos Ayres Gt. S'thn, 24, 25. Buenos Ayres Pacific, 12½, 14½. Buenos Ayres and W., 10½, 11½. Canadian National Guar., 67, 71. Canadian Pacific (625/-), 13½, 14. Central Argentine (20/-), 15, 17. Do. Def., 13, 15. Central Uruguay Ord., 8, 11. Cordoba Central, 6, 7. Do. 1st Pref., 5, 7. Do. 2nd Pref., 3, 5. Entre Rios, 15, 16. Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref., 38, 43. Grand Trunk Ord., 2, 3. Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb., 24, 27. Internl. of Cent. America, 2, 4. Leopoldina Ry., 1½, 2. Mexican Rails, 2, 2½. Mexican Rlwy., 14, 16. Do. 8 p.c. Pref., 14½, 16. Do. 6 p.c. Pref., 2, 3. San Paulo Ord., 98, 102. United Havana, 2, 3.

Atchison, 37, 42. Chicago Milwaukee Nos., 1, 2. Do. 1st Pref., 2, 3. New York Central, 14, 19. New York Ontario, 6, 11. Pennsylvania, 12, 17. Southern Common, 3, 8. Southern Pacific, 10, 15. Union Pacific, 55, 63.

Alloa, 2/-, 2/3. Barclay Perk., 4/-, 4/6. Bass, Ratcliff Ord., 47/6, 48/6. Brewers of Vancouver, 1/6, 1/9. City of London Def. (5/-), 5/6, 6/-. Dorchester, 2/6, 3/-. Distillers Ord., 35/3, 36/3. Distillers Pref., 43/3, 44/3. Guinness Ord. (£1 units), 64/-, 65/-. Hoare and Co., 35/-, 36/6. Ind Coope Ord., 35/-, 36/6. South African Breweries, 42/3, 43/9. Walker John Pref., 22/9, 23/6. Watney Combe Def., 22/9, 23/6.

Bournemouth and Poole, 30/-, 31/-. Charing Cross, 28/-, 30/-. City of London, 28/-, 30/-. County of London, 42/-, 45/-. Do. Metropolitan Supply Corp., 47/-, 48/-. Lancashire Electric, 26/-, 27/-. London Electric, 28/6, 29/6. Newcastle, 42/-, 44/-. St. James's, 27/-, 29/-. South London, 27/-, 29/-. Westminster Electric, 27/-, 29/-. Whitehall Inv. Pref., 19/-, 17/-.

Aerated Bread, 19/9, —. Bovril Def., 23/6, —. Crosse & Blackwell, 6/6, 6/9. Home & Colonial, 16/-, 15½. Inter Tea Ord. (5/-), 2/6, 2/9. Lovell & Christmas, 1/-, 1/3. Lyons (J.), 4/9, —. Mackintosh (J.) Pref., 15/-, —. Maypole Dairy, 3/4½, 3/7½. Scribbans, 1/-, 1/3. Do. Def., 11/-, —. Schweppes Ord., 1/7½, —. Smithfield Arg. Meat, 1/3, 1/4½.

Cairn Line, 2/9, 4/9. Cunard Ord., 3/9, 4/9. Elder-Dempster 6% Pref., 7/3, —. Furness Withy, 14/9, 15/9. P. and O. Def. (£1), 13/9, 14/9. Royal Mail Ord., 14/-, —. White Star 6½ Pref., 1/3, 1/9.

Bleachers, 7/9, 8/9. Bradford Dyers, 5/6, —. British Celanese Ord., 5/3, 5/9. Do. Pref., 4/9, 5/3. Calico Printers, 8/9, 9/3. Canadian Celanese, 2/-, —. Coats, 39/3, —. Courtaulds, 26/10½, 27/-. Fine Spinners, 10/6, —. Linen Thread Ord., 4/9, —. Lister Ord., 11/3, 12/3. Sena Vocona, 1/10, 1/11½.

Amal. Estates, 6, —. Assam to, 2½, —. Assam Consol, 1/3, —. Assam Front'r, 1/3, —. Bor'neat Ests., 1/3, —. Borelli, 1/3, —. Brahmapoutra, 1/3, —. Bki. Talban, 1/3, —. Bulla Beta, 1/3, —. Ceylon Plant., 2/-, —. Ceylon Prop., 2/-, —. Chargola, 1/3, —. Chubwa, 1/3, —. Cmlum, 1/3, —. Co. Tea & Lc, 1/3, —. Darjeeling Co., 1/3, —. Dooloo, 1/3, —. Deundl, 1/3, —. Dimbula Val., 2/-, —. Doom, 1/3, —. Doom Doom, 1/3, —. E. Assam, 1/3, —. East Asiatic, 1/3, —. Empire, 1/3, —. Galaha Ceylon, 1½, —.

Imperial, 15/-, —. Jolinga Valley, 1/3, —. Jokai, 1/3, —. Jorehaut, 1/3, —. Kanan Devan, 21/-, —. Lebong, 1/3, —. Langia, 2/-, —. Mokalbari, 1/3, —. Mosbund, 1/3, —. Nedeem, 5/-, —. Nuwara Eliya, 2/-, —. Nuwara Eliya, 2/-, —. Pabbajan, 2/-, —. Pundaloya, 2/-, —. Scottish Assam, 1/3, —. Scot. T. & Le., 1/3, —. Singlo, 2/-, —. Sumatra, 1/3, —. Travancore, 1/3, —. Up. Assam, 1/3, —.

Anglo-American Def., 21, —. Cables & Wireless 5½ Pf., 36, 38. Do. 7½% "A" Ord., 10½, 12½. Do. 7½% "B" Ord., 10½, 12½. Marconi Marine, 1½, 1⅝. Do. Canada, 1½, 1⅝. Oriental Telephone, 2½, 2¾. Radio Corporation, 5½, 5¾. Do. Pref., 31½, —.

African and Eust. Trade, 1/9, 1/10. Associated Cement, 23/9, 24/6. Associated Electric Ind., 13/6, 13/9. Baird Television Pf. Ord, 2/10½, 2/11½. Borax Con. Def., 8/6, 7/9. Brazilian Traction, 11½, 11¾. British American Tobacco, 3½, 3⅝. British Aluminium, 20/3, 21/3. British Inter. Pict. (5/-), 3/-, 3/3. British Match, 23/-, 24/-. British Portland Cement, 11½, 12½. British Oil and Cake, 29/6, 30/6. Callenders Cable, 25/-, 26/-. Canadian Car, 4½, 4¾. Do. Pref., 6, 6½. Crittal's Manufacturing, 27/6, 28/6. Crystalate Gramo. Ord., 7/9, 7/9. Dunlop Rubber, 1/7½, 1/10½. Electric and Musical, 8/6, —. Do. 6 p.c. Pref., 15/6, 16/6. Enfield Cable, 19/-, —. Ever Ready, 39/-, —. Ford Motor, 21/6, —. Gallaher Ord., 19/6, —. General Electric Ord., 1¾, 1⅞. Harland Wolff Pref., 36/6, —. Hoover, 6/6, 7/6. Harrod's (B.A.), 4/6, —. Henley's Telegraph, 41/5, —. Imperial Tobacco Ord., 14/6, 17/6. Do. Canada, 33/6, 34½. Imp. Chem. Deben., 24/6, —. Do. Def., 12/6, 12/9. Internl. Holdings Ord., 2/9, 3/9. Johnson and Phillips, 6½, 7½. Krueger and Toll, 0/3, 1/1. Lever Bros. Ord., 24/10½, —. Nasmith Ord. (5/-), 2/6, —. North American Co., 3/9, 4/3. Pinchin Johnson, 2/6, —. Platt Bros. Ord., 1/9, —. Reckitt Ord., 37½, —. Do. Pref., 27/6, —. Salt Union, 15/6, —. San Paulo Tram Deb., 60, —. Shanghai Water Com., 11½, —. Swedish Match B Free, 5/3, —. Tate and Lyle, 39/8, 40/3. Vacuum Oil Co., 66/-, 68/-. Do. Pref., 27/-, —. Tobacco Trust Ord., 25/6, 27/6. Do. Pref., 24/-, —. Triplex Glass, 1/6, —. Unilever Ord., 1¾, 1⅞. Do. (N.V.), 1⅝, 1¾. United Molasses, 4/4½, 4/10½. Vine Products Ord. 5/- sh., 4/9, 5/-. Vocalion Gramophone, 3/4½, 3/10½. Wallpaper Dir., 2/3, 2/6. Wiggins Teape Ord., 25/9, 26/6. Do. Pref., 24/-, —.

Argentine Land Invest., ½, —. Do. Southern Land, ½, —. City San Paulo Imps., 2/9, 3/3. Commodity Share Deposit Certs., 34/4, —. Forestal Land, 3/9, 4/6. Hudson's Bay Ord., 14/9, 15/-. Hyderabad Deccan, 1/3, 1/4. Internatl. Invest. Certs., 42½, —. Pekin Syndicate, 1/9, 2/9. Sudan Plantations, 15/-, 15/6.

Anglo-Argentine Tram., 11/-, 11/6. Antofagasta Ord., 9½, 11½. Do. Pref., 30, 35. Bahia Blanca Guar. Sta., 12, 13. Buenos Ayres Gt. S'thn, 24, 25. Buenos Ayres and W., 10½, 11½. Canadian National Guar., 67, 71. Canadian Pacific (625/-), 13½, 14. Central Argentine (20/-), 15, 17. Central Uruguay Ord., 8, 11. Cordoba Central, 6, 7. Do. 1st Pref., 5, 7. Do. 2nd Pref., 3, 5. Entre Rios, 15, 16. Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref., 38, 43. Grand Trunk Ord., 2, 3. Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb., 24, 27. Internl. of Cent. America, 2, 4. Leopoldina Ry., 1½, 2. Mexican Rails, 2, 2½. Mexican Rlwy., 14, 16. Do. 8 p.c. Pref., 14½, 16. Do. 6 p.c. Pref., 2, 3. San Paulo Ord., 98, 102. United Havana, 2, 3.

Allied Newspapers Def., 15/3, 13/9, —0/3. Allied News Ord., 9/9, 10/3. Amal Press (New), 11/3, 12/3. Daily Mail Trust, 29/6, 30/3. Daily Mirror Ord., 29/6, 30/3. Financial Newspapers, 9/-, 9/3. Sunday Pictorial, 1/3, 1/3.

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FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Manchester—Higher prices for Cattle, Lambs easier. Cambridge—Cattle better prices. Derby—Cattle, good and firm. Dublin—Butter irregular, Eggs quiet, Poultry in large supply and better demand, Herrings and Mackerel cheap, heavy offerings of cheap Cabbage, Grain steady, freer sale for best classes of Hay and Straw. Rubber steady. Tin firmer. Copper quiet. Wheat dearer.

CATTLE.

MANCHESTER.—On offer—Beasts 790, increase 70; sheep and lambs 6,300, increase 200; pigs 13, increase 15. Irish entries included 88 fat cattle, increase 2; dairy cows 46, decrease 2, and calves 47, increase 47. Good trade experienced for fat cattle at higher prices. Sheep ruled steady, but lambs easier to buy. In fat cattle best Norfolks quoted 10½d., other first-grade English 9½d. to 10d., best Irish heifers 9d. to 9½d., bullocks 8d. to 8½d., good fat young cows around 6½d.; small clipped sheep 11d., stronger sorts 9d. to 10d., a few Irish hoggs in wool around 9d. Welsh lambs 1/- to 1/2, others 1/- to 1/1 per lb. Cows suitable for dairy purposes £18 to £25 per head.

CAMBRIDGE.—Beasts 368. Beef, smalls to 11; others to 10/-. Sheep 721. Mutton tegs to 7/4, lamb 1/2. Pigs 1,626. Pork bacons to 8/-, cutters to 8/-, porkers to 9/-. Calves 208. Fat cattle excellent supplies, and business better all round. Store beasts a large show owing to special spring sale, and a good trade resulted. Fat sheep, good numbers offered and prices unchanged. Fat pigs, heavy consignments to hand and rather slow. Store pigs were in moderate demand.

DERBY.—Good and firm handy heifers, 9½d.; heavy, 9d. to 9½d.; young cws, 8d.; thirds, 6d. to 6½d. Sheep good. Small hoggs, 10d. to 10½d.; light-weight wethers, 10d.; heavy, 9½; ewes, 7d. Lambs plentiful and dearer, 1/2 to 1/3. Calves, 2/1 to 1/3 per lb. Pigs—Good show. Porkers and baconers, 13/-; heavy, 12/; sows, 9/- per score.

LEEDS.—On offer, 716 beasts; 6d. to 9½d. Sheep, 2,729; clipped, 8d. to 9½. hogg sheep in wool, 10½d.; lambs, 1/2 to 1/3; ewes, 5d. to 7d.

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GRAIN.

DUBLIN—Little change to report in trade for home grown oats, which continue to repeat late rates with difficulty. Foreign samples tending dearer, but buyers very cautious. Irish white oats 16-6 to 17-6, extra 18/- and 18-6 barrel, blacks 15-6 to 14-3, Canadian No. 2 Western white 18/- spot, mixed feed 13-6 to arrive, and Russian whites still on offer at 17/- barrel spot.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC).—WHEAT cargoes held for 3d. to 6d. per quarter advance following firm overseas cables, but buyers reluctant to follow. No 2 Northern Manitoba Pacific shipment June sellers 28/-, hard winter afloat 28-9. W. Australian afloat 27/9, May 27/9, South do. afloat 27/9, May 27/5 do. sailers afloat 27/9, Victorian May 27/9. Parcels quiet, 3d. to 6d. per quarter advance. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Vancouver shipment June sellers 29/4½, No. 2 ditto 27/5, ditto 27/1½. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Atlantic shipment June 29/7½, No. 2 ditto 28/7½. No. 3 ditto 27/1½. No. 4 Manitoba Atlantic shipment June 26/10½; hard winter on sample June 28/9. South Australian afloat 27/6, May 27/9. New South Wales (bulk) May 27/9, Victorian May 27/9. West Australian afloat 27/6, May 27/9 per quarter of 480lb. Futures—Market firmer, and business more active following higher Liverpool offers. Quotations per quarter of 480lb.: Manitoba grade May 26/8, July sold 26/6 to 26/8 and 26/7½, November sellers 27/8½; London grade June sold 25/7 to 25/8, September sellers 25/8, December 26/1. MAIZE—Cargo market slow at late rates. Plate afloat sellers 18/4½, shipping shipped 18/4½, May 18/4½, June 18/4½, July 18/6, August 18/9. Parcels quietly steady. Plate afloat sellers 17/6 to 17/9 as to position, April-May 17/9, May-June 17/9, June-July 17/9, July-August 18/-, August-September 18/3 per quarter of 480lb. BARLEY inactive. Parcels No. 3 Canadian Western Atlantic shipment May sellers 21-1½. Plate 64-65 kilos June 22/9, Persian May-June 20/-, Karachi new crop June-July 18/3 per quarter of 400lb. Californian superior July-August sellers 27/-, Chilean f.a.q. June 27/6, Australian Chevalier No. 1 May 29/6 per quarter of 448lb. OATS dull. Parcels Plate afloat sellers 14-9, May 14-6, June 14/6, July 14/7½; No. 2 Canadian Western Atlantic shipment May 22/1½, ditto ditto 21/-, No. 1 Canadian fwd Atlantic shipment May 20/- per quarter of 320lb.

LIVERPOOL.—Overnight's cables generally were barely as good as expected, and forward deliveries of wheat here showed a moderate decline at the outset, but afterwards improved until a fair advance on the previous night had been registered, though disappointing afternoon American cables and free selling caused prices to give back 5/8 to 6/- from the best, and the close was dull. C.i.f. parcels of No. 2 Manitoba arrived sold at 27/10½ to 27/10½. No. 3 June 27/-; Western Australian afloat 27/4½; Rosario Santa Fe 64lb. May 26/1½ per quarter. C.i.f. parcels of River Plate maize arrived sold at 18/4½, afloat 18/-, and June-July 17/9 per quarter. WHEAT on the spot steadily held. MAIZE—Spot parcels quiet, and River Plate easier at 4/3 to 4/3½ per cental. FLOUR steady and unaltered. Graded wheat futures opened lad. to 1d. per cental lower, then improved until lad. to 2d. over previous night had been realised but gave way sharply towards the finish, closing easy at 1d. to 1½d. below Monday. Values—May 5/4⅝, July 5/6, October 5/7½. December 5/8⅝ per cental. Sales, 75 loads.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—Continental still rules more or less nominal, and a moderate business being reported, but prices very erratic. Irish and Canadian unchanged, but American bellies 1/- lower at 49/- to 51/- per cwt. HAMS quiet, and American lower all round. Long cut now offered at 78/- to 82/-, short cut 65/- to 71/-, extra skinless 76/- to 84/- per cwt. LARD on the spot 5d. dearer. Prime steam 34/9 to 35/9; American refined 37/6 to 39/- per cwt., with a fair demand for the latter. CHEESE quiet. Canadian new on market at 55/- to 59/- per cwt. for both white and coloured. BUTTER rather more inquired for on boxes. New Zealand raised to 96/- and 100/- per cwt., but Irish easier at 93/- to 97/- per cwt. EGGS quiet at 8/- to 8/6 for extra selected Irish here, 7/6 selected, 6/6 to 7/- mediums, and 5/- to 6/6 per 120 for duck.

MANCHESTER.—BUTTER—Shipments of Danish and Swedish, not including Gothenburg, to Northern ports for the week ended May 21st totalled 42,186 casks—increase 8,022 casks. Market steady, with good consumptive demand for both Continental and Colonial makes. As yet spot supplies of Irish creameries have been on a very modest scale. Quotations for best qualities:—Danish, 104/- to 105/-; special dairies extra, Swedish, 104/- to 105/-; Finnish, 104/- to 105/-; Irish creameries, 96/- to 98/-; New Zealand 97/- to 99/-; Australian, 96/- to 98/-. BACON—Shipments of Danish and Swedish, 22,587 bales—increase, 2,114 bales. Irish quiet and easier. Active demand reported for Continental cures at lower range of prices, but quarter irregular and quotations generally nominal. LARD quiet but steadier. English refined, 45-6 boxes ex works, American, 38/- to 39/- according to brand. CHEESE Cheshire in steady consumptive demand for finest rairies at about late rates. Choicest quote up to 90d.; medium and lower grades easier 8d to 84d. per lb. Finest New Zealand lower, white 60/- to 68/-, coloured 57/- to 58/- per cwt. EGGS—Shipments of Danish and Swedish, 4,135 cases—decrease, 597 cases. Good supplies and prices easier. Irish Free State extra selected 8/2 selected 7/10, mediums 7/-, duck 6/9; English new laid, 8/4; Northern Ireland, 17lb. 9/-, 15½lb 8/4, 14lb. 7/6; Danish, 15½lb. 8/3; Finnish 7/- to 9/-, Polish 6/6. **MANCHESTER POULTRY.**—Moderate inquiry for most descriptions of dead poultry. Irish turkeys practically finished. Irish and English chickens, 2/-; fowls, 1/6 to 8d.; ducks, 3d. to 1/-; geese, 6d. to 8d. per lb. Irish salmon dearer, 2/- per lb.

MANCHESTER MEAT.—Home-killed beef sides around 8d. to 9½d.; spring lambs around 1/1; others 8½d. to 10d.; ewes around 6d. Pigs, 6½d. to 7½d. Chilled beef, hindquarters 4½d. to 6½d., forequarters, 3½d. to 4½d.; frozen hindquarters, 4½. to 5d. Mutton—Wethers, 7½d. to 4½d.; ewes, 5½d. to 3½d.; lambs, 4½d. to 6½d.

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DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Rhubarb, cabbage and cauliflowers in heavy supply; cabbage slow, rhubarb and cauliflowers steady. Lettuce met a freer sale at lower rates. Other classes sufficient for requirements. York cabbage 8/- to 10/- large load small 5/- to 10/6, rhubarb 1/- to 2/6, 3/- to 6/-, cream lettuce 4d. to 7½, cauliflowers 2/- to 2/6, small lots 3/- to 3/6, seconds 2/- to 1/-, beet 1/9 to 2/-, bags 2/6 to 4/-, carrots 2/- to 3/-, bags 4/6 to 6/6, parsnips 1/- to 1/4, bags 3/- to 4/9 leeks 2/ to 3/-, scallions 4d. to 8d., bunch turnips old 4d., to 5d., new 1/3 to 1/6, bunch thyme 5d., sage 4d., parsley tray 6d. to 8d., bags 1/6 to 2/6, mushrooms 3/6 basket, kidney beans 1/6 to 1/9, strawberries 2/10 punnet, box 3/6 to 8/6 for jam and gooseberries 6d. punnet. Foreign supplies fairly large, and met a freer sale at last day's prices, except tomatoes, which were again cheaper. Sales:—Apples, Albemarle 45/- to 50/- barrel, Ben Davis 25/- to 30/- Australian 14/- to 17/6 box, winesaps and Newtowns 14/- to 15/- oranges Valencias 240's 15/- to 30/-, 300's 16/- to 25/- 360/504's 14/- to 20/-, Jaffa 16/- to 18/- box, Californian 25/- to 30/-; lemons, 20/- to 22/- case box 12/- to 15/-; grapes, black 20/- to 35/- box, green 11/- to 18/-, grape fruit 35/- to 42/6 case pineapples 3/6 to 5/- each; pears, Australian 20/- to 26/- box, Cape 6/- to 8/- trays, French beans 1/9 lb, French salad 7/- crate, tomatoes, hothouse 1/- to 1/1 lb, Canary 5/6 to 8/- box, Dutch 9d. lb., cucumbers 6/- to 8/- doz., Tunis dates 8/6 dozen, bananas, Canary 20/- to 24/- crate, Jamaica 12/- box, and onions 13/- to 15/- bag.

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GRAIN.

DUBLIN.—Little change to report in trade for home grown oats, which continue to repeat late rates with difficulty. Foreign samples tending dearer, but buyers very cautious. Irish white oats 16/6 to 17/6, extra 18/-, and 18/6 barrel. Blacks 13/6 to 14/3, Canadian No. 2 Western white 18/- spot, mixed feed 13/6 to arrive, and Russian Whites still on offer at 17/- barrel spot.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC).—WHEAT cargoes held for 3d. to 6d. per quarter advance following firm overseas cables, but buyers reluctant to follow. No 2 Northern Manitoba Pacific shipment June sellers 28/-, third winter afloat 28/9. W. Australian afloat 27/9, May 27/9, South do. afloat 27/9, May 27/9, do. sailers afloat 27/9, Victorian May 27/9, Parcels quiet, 3d. to 6d. per quarter advance. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Vancouver shipment June sellers 29/4½. No. 2 ditto 27/9. No. 3 ditto 27/1½. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Atlantic shipment June 29/7½. No. 2 ditto 28/7½. No. 3 ditto 27/1½. No. 4 Manitoba Atlantic shipment June 26/10½; hard winter on sample June 28/9. South Australian afloat 27/6, May 27/9. New South Wales (bulk) May 27/9, Victorian May 27/9. West Australian afloat 27/6, May 27/9 per quarter of 480lb. Futures—Market firmer, and business more active following higher first hand offers. Quotations per quarter of 480lb.: Manitoba grade May 26/8, July sold 26/6 to 26/8 and 26/7½, November sellers 27/8½; London grade June sold 25/7 to 25/8, September sellers 26/1½, December 26/3. MAIZE—Cargo market slow at late rates. Plate afloat sellers 18/4½, shipping, shipped 18/4½, May 18/4½, June 18/4½, July 18/6, August 18/5. Parcels quietly steady. Plate afloat sellers 17/6 to 17/9 as to position, April-May 17/9, May-June 17/9, June-July 17/9, July-August 18/-, August-September 18/3 per quarter of 480lb. BARLEY inactive. Parcels No. 3 Canadian Western Atlantic shipment May sellers 21/1½. Plate 64-65 kilos June 22/9. Persian May-June 20/-, Karachi new crop June-July 24/3 per quarter of 400lb.; Californian superior July-August sellers 27/-, Chilean f.a.q. June 27/6, Australian Chevalier No. 1 May 29/6 per quarter of 448lb. OATS dull. Parcels Plate afloat sellers 14/9, May 14/6, July 14/7½; No. 2 Canadian Western Atlantic shipment May 22/1½, No. 3 ditto 21/-, No. 1 Canadian feed Atlantic shipment May 20/- per quarter of 320lb. RYE quiet.

LIVERPOOL.—Overnight's cables generally were barely as good as expected, and forward deliveries of wheat here showed a moderate decline at the outset, but afterwards improved until a fair advance on the previous night had been registered, though disappointing afternoon American cables and free selling caused prices to give way sharply and mark a decided loss on the day. C.i.f. parcels of No. 2 Manitoba arrived sold 27/10½ to 27/10½, No. 3 June 27/-, Western Australian afloat 27/4½; Rosario Santa Fe 04lb. May 26/11½ per quarter. C.i.f. parcels of River Plate maize arrived sold at 18/4½, afloat 18/-, and June-July 17/9 per quarter. WHEAT on the spot steadily held. MAIZE—Spot parcels quiet, and River Plate easier at 4/3 to 4/3½ per cental. FLOUR steady and unaltered. Graded wheat futures opened 1d. to 1½d. per cental lower, then improved until 1d. to 5d. over previous night had been realised but gave way sharply towards the finish, closing easy at ¼d. to 1½d. below Monday. Values—May 5/4½, July 5/6, October 5/7½, December 5/8½ per cental. Sales, 75 loads.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—Continental still rules more or less nominal, and a moderate business being reported, but prices very erratic. Irish and Canadian unchanged, but American bellies 1/- lower at 49/- to 51/- per cwt. HAMS quiet, and American lower all round. Long cut now offered at 78/- to 82/-, short cut 65/- to 71/-, extra skinless 76/- to 84/- per cwt. LARD on the spot 2d. cheaper. Prime steam 34/9 to 35/9; American refined 37/6 to 39/-, per cwt with a fair demand for the latter. CHEESE quiet. Canadian new on market at 55/- to 59/- per cwt. for both white and coloured. BUTTER rather more inquired for on boxes. New Zealand raised to 96/- and 100/- per cwt., but Irish easier at 93/- to 97/- per cwt. EGGS quiet at 8/- to 8/6 for extra selected Irish hen, 7/6 selected, 6/6 to 7/- mediums, and 5/- to 5/6 per 120 for duck.

MANCHESTER.—BUTTER—Shipments of Danish and Swedish, not including Gothenburg, to Northern ports for the week ended May 21st totalled 42,186 casks—increase, 8,022 casks. Market steady, with good consumptive demand for both Continental and Colonial makes. As yet spot supplies of Irish creameries have been on a very modest scale. Quotations for best qualities:—Danish, 104/- to 105/-, special dairies extra, Swedish, 104/- to 105/-; Finnish, 104/- to 105/-; Irish creameries, 96/- to 98/-; New Zealand, 97/- to 99/-; Australian, 96/- to 98/-. BACON—Shipments of Danish and Swedish, 22,587 bales—increase, 2,114 bales. Irish quiet and easier. Active demand reported for Continental cuts at lower range of prices, but market irregular and quotations generally nominal. LARD quiet but steadier. English refined, 45s. 6 boxes ex works. American, 38/- to 39/- according to brand. CHEESE Cheshire in steady consumptive demand for finest dairies at about late rates. Choicest quote 1 up to 91d.; medium and lower grades easier 8d to 8½d. per lb. New Zealand lower, white 6/- to 58/-, coloured 57/- to 58/ per cwt. EGGS—Shipments of Danish and Swedish, 4,135 cases—decrease, 697 cases. Good supplies, and prices easier. Irish Tree State, extra selected 8/2 selected 7/10, mediums 7/-, duck 8/9; English new laid, 8/4; Northern Ireland, 17lb. 9/-, 15½lb 8/4, 14lb 7/6; Danish, 15½lb. 8/3; Finnish 7/- to 9/-; Polish 6/6.

MANCHESTER POULTRY.—Moderate inquiry for most descriptions of dead poultry. Irish turkeys practically finished. Irish and English chickens, 1/-; fowls, 1/- to 8d.; ducks, 9d. to 1/-; geese, 6d. to 8d. per lb. Irish salmon dearer, 2/- per lb.

MANCHESTER MEAT.—Home-killed beef sides around 8d. to 9½d.; spring lambs around 1/-; others 8½d. to 10d.; ewes around 6d. Pigs, 6½d. to 7½d. Chilled beef, quinquarters 4½d. to 6½d., forequarters, 3½d. to 4½d.; frozen hindquarters, 4½d. to 5d. Mutton—Wethers, 7½d. to 8½d.; ewes, 5d. to 5½d.; lambs, 8½d. to 9½d.

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DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Cabbage and cauliflowers in heavy supply; cabbage poor, rhubarb and cauliflowers steady. Lettuce in a freer sale at lower rates. Other classes sufficient for requirements. York cabbage 8/- to 10/- large load small 3/- to 10/6, rhubarb 1/- to 2/-, extra 5/- to 6/-, cress: lettuce 4d. to 1/2, cauliflowers 2/- to 2/6, small lots 3/- to 5/6, seconds 2d. to 1/-, beet 1.9 to 2/-, bags 2/6 to 4/-, carrots 2/- to 3/-, bags 4/6 to 6/6, parsnips 1/- to 1/4, bags 3/- to 4/9 leeks 2/- to 3/-, scallions 4d. to 8d. bunch turnips old 4d. to 5d., new 1/3 to 1/6, mint and thyme 3d., sage 4d., parsley tray 6d. to 8d., bags 1/6 to 2/6, mushrooms 3/6 basket, kidney beans 1/6 to 1/9, strawberries 2/10 punnet, 3/6 to 3/9, raspberries 4/6 and gooseberries 6d. punnet. Foreign supplies fairly large, and met a freer sale at last day's prices, except tomatoes, which were again easier. Sales—Apples, Albemarle 45/- to 50/- barrel, Ben Davis 25/- to 30/-, Australian 14/- to 17/6 box, winesaps and Newtowns 14/- to 16/-, oranges Valencias 24/6 15/- to 30/-, 300's 16/- to 25/-, 360/504's 14/- to 20/-, Jaffa 16/- to 18/- box, Californian 25/- to 30/-; lemons, 20/- to 25/- case, pears 12/- to 15/-, grapes, black 20/- to 35/- box, green 11/- to 18/-, grape fruit 35/- to 42/6 case pineapples 3/6 to 5/- each; pears, Australian 20/- to 26/- box, Cape 6/- to 8/- tray, French beans 1/9 lb., French salad 7/- crate, tomatoes, hothouse 1/- to 1/1 lb., Canary 6/6 to 7/- box, Dutch 9d. lb., cucumbers 6/- to 8/- dozen, Tunis dates 8/6 dozen, bananas, Canary 20/- to 24/- crate, Jamaica 12/- box, and onions 13/- to 15/- bag.

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DUBLIN POTATO.—Supplies slightly larger and in excess of quiet trade passing. Values unchanged at 2/6 to 3/6 and 9/- per cwt.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.—Market liberally supplied with creamery butter. Recent soft weather has helped to bring a big increase in production, and, no doubt, a fair proportion is now being exported. Trade here continues quiet, and prices irregular. The very keen selling competition continues. The supply of farmers' butter is being normal, and all arrivals are readily cleared. Factory butter has become a quiet trade owing to the reduction in the price of creamery. Finest creams 106lb.) 127/- to 130/- per cwt. 28lb 1/2 to 1/2½ lb.; farmers' 8d. to 11d., and factory 1/- to 1/02. Cross-Channel markets seem to be depressed, and export trade for eggs is very disappointing. Ample supplies are coming forward for quiet city trade. Extra selected 16lb. and 17lb. grades 8/3 to 8/6 case lots, ordinary and selected 7/2 to 8/-, mediums 6/3 to 6/10, smalls, etc., 5/6 to 6/- and ducks 7/9 to 8/- per 120.

CORK BUTTER.—Creameries, 130 per cwt.

DUBLIN POULTRY.—There was a marked increase in supplies of all classes, especially chickens, and with more favourable weather buyers bid more freely, and an early clearance took place around last day's prices. Rabbits more plentiful, and in demand. Old fowl, however, proved dragging, but lots changed hands at less money. Cock turkeys being out of season are of little value. Chickens, best 11d. to 1/1 lb.; smalls 1/6 to 2/- each; hens, large fat 2/- to 2/6, others 1/- to 1/6; ducks 11d. to 1/- lb., stores 2/- to 2/6 each, old 6d. to 1/-, guinea fowl in feathers 3/-, rabbits 10d. to 1/-, and grazers 5d. to 8d.

DUBLIN FISH.—Heavy supplies to hand, which included 3.8 boxes mixed catch from two steam trawlers 40 packages salmon, 16 chests lobster, 130 boxes herrings, 40 boxes mackerel, and a fair amount from country and local seuilers. Sales fairly well supported, except for herrings, which failed to sell up. Salmon 1/5 to 1/8 lb., lobsters 1/5- to 1/7 6 per 13 large, medium 10/- to 12/6, small 5/- to 7/6, soles 20/- to 30/- per 9 pairs large, medium 10/- to 15/-, slips 5/- to 7/6, turbot 6d. to 10/- each, brill 6d. to 4/- each, herrings 4/- to 8/- box, mackerel 7/- to 8/-, plaice 15/- to 70/- half box, cod 12/6 to 50/-, whiting 10/- to 60/-, haddock 4/- to 7/-, conger eels 6/- to 20/-, gurnard 2/-, ray 9/- to 17/6, haddock 4/- to 7/-, pollock 12/6 to 15/-, bake 20/- to 66/-, and ling 4/- to 15/- each.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Salmon—English 21d. to 25½, Scotch 22d to 24d., Irish 20d to 22d., soles 10d to 15d., slips 10d. to 12d per lb., live eels 18/- to 28/-, dead, 16 to 20/- per trawght; turbot, 5/- to 7/-; plaice, 7/- to 8/-; halibut, 7/- to 10/-; lemon soles 6/- to 8/-; bake, 5/- to 6/-; skate wings, 5/- to 4/-; haddocks, 2/- to 6/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR — General trade demand continued quiet, but previous prices were repeated for British refined and granulated from the inland factories. Terminal section quiet, and prices eased, though sellers were not unduly pressing. August sold 4/7 to 4/6½, December 4/10½ to 4/10; foreign 96 per cent. centrifugal July to the U.K. 4/6 c.i.f. terms paid. COFFEE—Moderate absorption takes place, and general tone of the market is steady. COCOA—Only small sales passing in spot parcels; forward positions quiet and turn weaker. Accra G.F. May-June 28/-, mid-crop 22/3, new November-January 27/- c.i.f., termanal July sold 27/1½, August 27/1½, March 27/4½. Sales, 140 tons. RUBBER—A quiet, but steady, market again ensued. Standard sheet spot and June sold 1 4d., July-September 1½d., October-December 1 4d., January-March 2d., April-June 2½d. JUTE—The market is quite featureless at the moment. Sellers required steady prices, but buyers were by no means frequent. Firsts May-June usual Continental ports sellers £15 15/-, June-July £15 17/6; new crop August-September quoted £16 10/-, lightnings May-June quoted £15 5/-, hearts £14 5/-. Deuice £15, and Tossa £15 10/- per ton c.i.f. SHELLAC steady, but at the same time slow. T.N. spot 56/-, August 48/-, October 45/-, and for shipment 42/6 per cwt. c.i.f. TEA—Ceylon auctions reviewed 35,821 packages. Moderate competition was evidenced, but a very irregular and weaker tone resulted. Large supplies and falling off in quality were held mainly responsible for the depressed tone. Pekoe sold 6½d. to 2/4d., broken 6½d. to 1/11½; orange Pekoe 8½d. to 2/5, broken orange 8½d., to 2/8; fannings 6½d. to 2/3½ per lb.

OILS.—Linseed dull; spot sellers 16/-, June 13/-, July-Aug. 13/3, Sept.-Dec. 13/10½, Jan.-April 14/9. Rape quiet; crude spot 23/6, refined 30/6, Japanese crude drums June-July 22/-. Cotton slow; crude Egyptian spot 19/-, common edible 22/-, deodorised 24/-, Coconaut inactive; Ceylon spot drums 27/6, May-June 22/6. Turpentine firmer; American spot 59/- and June 58/6 per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed market dull and featureless; Calcutta to London May-June and June-July sellers £9 5/-. Plate to Hull May-June £7 12/6, June-July £7 13/9, July-August £7 15/-, Aug.-Sept. £7 16/3, Sept.-Oct. £7 17/6 Rapeseed quiet; Toria to Hull-Continent May-June £10 17/6. Cottonseed quiet, but steady. Egyptian black to Hull May £5 15/9, June £5 15/-, new crop Oct. £6 2/6, with white sorts at 7/6 per ton less respectively. Groundnuts steady. Coromandel machined May £15 12/6, June £15 12/6, July £15 15/-, Aug. £15 17/6, Sept. £16 1/3. Soya Beans dull; Manchurian afloat £6 15/-, May £5 15/-, June £6 15/-, and July £6 15/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL.—CANE SUGAR steady, with sellers parcels May-June shipments 4/3¼ per cwt. c.i.f. to U.K. COCOA—West African on spot remains very quiet. Fine fermented Accra value unchanged at 28/- per cwt. ex store in London. Forward shipments intermediate crop May-July unaltered at 19/6, good fermented Accra and 17/- per cwt. Lagos values, both f.b.b. "Futures" steady, but inactive. COFFEE values generally maintained. HEMP—Manila firm, but quiet. Business done in K grade June-August shipment at £16 and M at £14 c.i.f., with sales August-October shipment at 15/- per ton more. JAPANESE PEAS on spot quoted £24 10/- ex store and forward parcels May-June shipments unaltered at £23 per ton c.i.f. terms. RICE BRAN—Burmah continues quiet, with May-July shipments offered at 87/6 per ton ex ship terms. OIL CAKES—Imported descriptions continue in quiet request. American linseed unchanged at £6 12/6 and River Plate at £7 7/6 July shipments c.i.f. PALM KERNELS steady, unchanged. Sellers May-June and June-July shipments £10 5/-, and buyers £10 2/6 per ton c.i.f. 1/3 easier. TALLOW—South American neglected, with May and June shipments quoted 21/- c.i.f. and Australian good colour mixed remains at 22/6 to 23/- per cwt. c.i.f. forward shipments

LIVERPOOL SUGAR.—Tate and Lyle's (Ltd.) quotations:—Crystals—Ones, 20/6; Granulated—Standard, 18/4½; Yellows—Thirds, 18/3.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—A fair amount of hay came on market, for which there was a poor attendance of buyers. Business opened fairly steady for the better classes, and closing prices showed little change since last day. Practically no buyers for inferior arrivals, which brought sales very late, and notwithstanding the very poor prices ruling, many loads were yet to be cashed on compare on to twelve o'clock. Sales—Choice 1st crop 4/- to 4/5, occasionally 4/6 per cwt., ordinary 3/5 to 3/9, and 3rd 3/3 to 3/6, old meadow 2/6 to 2/9, extra 3/-, others 1/6 to 2/3. Wheaten straw very scarce and insufficient for demand. Oat straw too plentiful, and sold more freely, prices, however, were no better, but an earlier clearance took place at the following—Outen 2/3 to 2/6 and 2/9 per cwt., with a few pence extra in one or two cases, and wheaten 3/9 to 4/-.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN STEADIER—COPPER FIRMER.

TIN—Eastern cables were easier, but here steadier conditions prevailed on less selling pressure though buyers were somewhat reserved. On balance, official quotations marked a net rise of 20/- and forward 25/- per ton. Standard cash quoted £123 to £123 5/-, three months £123 5/- to £125 10/-; settlement price £123 5/. Sales amounted to 350 tons, cash at £122 15/-, £122 10/- and £122 17/6, three months £124 10/-, £124/-, £125 15/- and £125 10/-. English ingots quoted £124 15/- to £126 15/-. In the East 75 tons reported sold on the basis of £128 5/- c.i.f. COPPER market slightly irregular, but tone firmer, and sellers more reserved in face of a fair inquiry. On balance, official quotations were occasionally 1/3 per ton lower. Standard cash quoted £27 10/- to £27 12/6, three months £27 12/6 to £27 15/-, settlement price £27 12/6. 500 tons changed hands, three months at £27 15/-, £27 12/6 and £27 17/6; electros quoted £31 15/- to £32 15/-, wire bars £32 15/-, best selected £30 to £31 5/-, strong sheets £31. LEAD market dull and easier on liberal offerings. 100 tons sold, good soft foreign pig June £10 11/3, August £10 15/-; settlement price £10 5/-; English quoted £12 5/-. SPELTER firm, with dealings on a fair scale. 600 tons sold, July £12 12/6, August £12 15/- to £12 13/9; settlement price £12 10/-. ANTIMONY quiet. English regulus £36, Chinese ds. spot £24 10/-, May-June £17 15/-, Chinese crude May-June £12 15/- per ton c.i.f. Antimony Oxide—May-June £19 10/- per ton c.i.f. Antimony Ore—50 p.c. May-June 3/-, 50 p.c. do. 2/6 per unit c.i.f. WOLFRAM quiet. Chinese May-June 11/9 per unit c.i.f. ALUMINIUM QUICKSILVER and TIN PLATES unaltered. Second session—Tin firmer. 150 tons sold; cash £123 5/- to £123 15/-, three months £125 5/- to £125 15/-. Copper quiet. 100 tons sold; cash buyers £27 8/9, three months sold £27 11/3. Lead quiet. 150 tons sold; good soft foreign pig May £10 3/9, August £10 13/9. Spelter unaltered.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

At the fourth series of public sales for the current year four catalogues were submitted, jointly totalling 11,242 bales, comprising 252 New South Wales, 358 Victorian, 42 Queensland, 41 West Australian, 30 South Australian, 5,318 New Zealand, 2,587 Punta Arenas, 1,978 Patagonian, 614 South African, and 12 Jamaican. As at present arranged the series will occupy twelve selling days, terminating on June 8th with total offerings of 124,700 bales, embracing 35,150 Australian, 55,550 New Zealand, 7,300 South African, and 22,700 South American. Bradford trade returns show a falling off during the past few months, but compare favourably with conditions on the Continent, where stocks of tops have substantially increased. The Australian auctions were well attended by Bradford and Japan, and realised generally steady rates, but progress during the present series in London will depend on the extent of Continental demand. A full and representative number of buyers were in attendance at the opening sale, which consisted largely of New Zealand and South American cross-bred growths. Demand was fairly general. New Zealand qualities being mostly absorbed by Bradford houses and South American on Continental account. Withdrawals, however, were frequent on sellers' limits not being reached. Compared with the closing rates of last series good merinos were about unchanged, medium ditto par to 5 per cent. lower; cross-breds, superior, 5 per cent; medium and low ditto, 10 per cent.; scoured cross-bred, 10 per cent.; and slipes 7½ per cent. to 10 per cent. lower. Cape—Good greasy merino unaltered, but wasty and scoured 5 per cent. to 10 per cent. down on balance.

CHURCH SERVICES.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—Morning Service at 10 o'clock. Psalm, 119 (vv. 33-48). Jubilate, 33. Litany. Hymn, 420. Evening Service at 4 o'clock. Men's voices. Chants, 5, 18. Magnificat. "Nolo Dimittis, Stainer in D. Anthem, "Now know I." Croft, 766 (part).

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. — Morning Prayer at 10.45 o'clock. Jubilate. Litany. Evening Prayer at 3 o'clock. Bennett in D minor. Anthem, "O pray for the peace." Cobb.

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH. — Morning Service at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Gage Dougherty.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Lower Baggot Street (branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday Meeting, with testimonies of Christian Science healing, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, same address, open free to the public daily from 11 a.m.

The Coming of St. Patrick. — Special Services are being held in St. Fin Barre's Cathedral, Cork, in celebration of the coming of St. Patrick to Ireland. Festival Evensong took place last night, the preacher being the Right Rev. E. D. Shaw, D.D., Assistant Bishop in Oxford. A Choral Festival will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 p.m., when Dr. Shaw will again preach.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

PRICES DISPLAY EASIER TENDENCY: HEAVY CLOSE.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.
NEW YORK, Tuesday.

The Stock Exchange opened steady to-day. The improvement in Government Bonds and the advance in wheat were favourable influences, but incentive to trade is still lacking, and continued indecisive movements are anticipated pending developments in Washington and the outcome of the meetings of the Credit Expansion Committee.

After showing irregularity early in the session the market developed a downward trend, with the volume of trading increasing slightly. Selling converged chiefly on Food, Tobacco and Utility issues. The market closed heavy.

Call Money	Tues.	Mon.
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	2½p. 2⁴⁄₃₂p	2½p. 2⁴⁄₃₂p
De. Do. Demand Bills	3.68⅝	3.67¼
Cable Trans'fers	3.68⅝	3.67⅜
Do. Montreal	4.24⅛	4.23⅝
Exchange Par's Cable	3.9403⅛	3.9403⅛

Egg Parity	STOCKS	Closing Bid. Tues.	Mon.
20/-	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	27½	28¾
60/-50/-	Do. Preferred	45	46¾
5/-	Baltimore and Ohio	8¼	9
11¼	Canadian Pacific (New Stock)	8⅜	9⅝
1⅜	Chesapeake and Ohio Com	13⅝	14⅞
1⅛	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	1	1
3/-	Chicago and North West	2⅞	2¾
2/-	Erie Shares	2¼	2⅛
4½	Erie 1st Preferred	3	3
8/-	Illinois Central	6⅛	7
10/-	Louisville and Nashville	8	8¼
2/-	Missouri Pacific	1⅞	2
14/-	New York Central & Hudson R.	10¾	11⅞
9/-	Norfolk and West Com.	70	73
9/-	Northern Pacific Com.	7¼	7¾
12/-	Pennsylvania Shares	9	9½
20/-	Reading Shares	15	16
10	Southern Pacific	7⅞	8
2/-	Southern Railway	2⅞	3
34/-	Union Pacific	40¾	42¾
48/-	American Can. (New Stock)	33½	37¾
10/-	American Smelting (New Stock)	7⅜	8⅛
2/-	Anaconda Copper	4½	4⅝
15/-	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	11⅛	12
20/-	Consolidated Gas (New York)	43¼	45¾
4/-	General Electric (New Stock)	12⅞	13½
12/-	General Motors (New)	10⅞	10
2/-	Ioster Mer. Marine Com Certs	1¾	1⅝
5/-	International Nickel	4¼	4⅜
8/-	National Lead	6⅝	6⅞
4/-	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	31½	31
2/-	Radio Corporation	3⅜	3¾
20/-	Royal Dutch Petroleum	13⅛	13⅜
14/-	Shell Transport and Trading	11	11
2/-	Shell Union Oil	2¾	2¾
37/-	U.S Rubber	2¾	2¾
96/-	United States Steel Common	28	28¾
11/-	Brazilian Traction	7¼	7¾
17/-	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	8¼	8¾
6/-	Hydro Electric	13½	13⅝
13/-	International Pet., Canada, Nes	3⅝	3⅞
—	Minor Commercial Bars	10¼	10¼
—	American Tel. and Tel	27½	27¾
—	Brazil Stab. 6½ p.c., 1957	—	—
—	North American Company	17½	—
18/-	BONDS—	18⅝	—
140/-	U.K. 5½ Bonds, 1937	104	103½
—	Do Funding Loan 4½	—	—
—	Do War Loan 5½	—	—
132/-	U.S Treasury 3½ Bds. '46-56	97⅜	98⅛
60/-	7 % German External Loan	45	46

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—"Winters" easier, 1½c. to 1¾c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Amber Durum, spot	—	—
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	—	—
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	—	74¼
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	73⅝	74⅜
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	72⅞	74¼

BARLEY easy at 2½c. decline. American malting c.i.f. New York, 48¼.

MAIZE easier at ¼c. decline.

	To-day.	Prev. day
Western No. 2 Mixed, spot	42	42¾

LARD steady at 5 points decline. Prime Western steam, 4.65; Middle West, 4.50 to 4.60.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears (100 per cent.), 4.00 to 4.20.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Baume at Well	36 cents	36 cents
Pennsylvania Crude	1.55 2.05.	1.55-2.05

COFFEE—

Options—	May	July	Sept	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.
							1933
To-day	5.94	6.68	6.78	—	5.70	—	6.78
Prev. day	6.05	6.89	6.78	—	6.68	—	6.69

SUGAR—The market closed steady, with values unchanged to 2 points down. Spot steady and unaltered; 96 test centrifugal Cuban local spot, 2.58. Approximate day's sales (futures)—8,000 tons.

Closing options—	May	July	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.
							1933
To-day	0.62	0.68	0.71	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.81
	May, 1933—0.65						
Prev. day	0.54	0.62	0.69	0.72	0.76	0.77	0.83

TALLOW steady. Spot extra loose, 2½; spot special extra, 2¾; spot in tierces, 2⅝.

COTTONSEED OIL—Futures irregular, 10 points up to 3 points lower. Prime summer yellow spot, 3.40. Closing options—May, 3.50; July, 3.70; August, 3.70; September, 3.72.

SHELLAC—T.N., 56s.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 45½; Savannah spot, 40½.

METALS—Straits Tin steadier. Spot and near by New York, 21.10. Future option—June, 21.10. Lead steady. Spot New York, 3.00; spot East St. Louis, 2.90. Pig Iron steady. Northern No. 2 plain, f.o.b. Furnace, Eastern Pennsylvania, 16.02; No. 2 plain Buffalo (delivery Boston), 19.79. Copper—The U.S. Copper Export Association quotes copper c.i.f. Hamburg—April-May 6.25; June, 6.30.

NATIONAL METAL EXCHANGE.

TIN steady. Closing options—July, 20.90; October, 21.35; December, 21.75. Copper dull. Closing options—July, 3.80; October, 4.10; December, 4.30.

COTTON (New York)—Spot quiet at 20 points fall; spot middling, 5.75. Cotton (New Orleans) —Spot declined 14 points; spot middling, 5.75.

CANADIAN MARKETS.

The Winnipeg markets and the Montreal Stock Exchange were closed to-day.

RUBBER very quiet. First latex thin crepe spot, 3⅛ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets spot, 2⅛ buyers, 2⅞ sellers.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

On the grain market to-day prices eased owing to a slow foreign demand, while the weak tendency at the close of the Liverpool market was another bearish factor. Trading was of a light character. Wheat values declined on news of scattered rains in parts of Kansas and Nebraska, coupled with a forecast of unsettled weather throughout the grain belt. Liquidation of local longs was another depressing feature, while the trade ignored the bullish South-Western advices. A partial rally ensued, however, on commission house buying, due to reports of serious damage by hessian fly in various sections. Recessions in maize were due to a slow shipping demand, while the market was influenced by the movements in wheat. Rye declined owing to stop-loss selling and in unison with wheat, while oats fluctuated in sympathy with maize.

WHEAT opened barely steady at 1c. to 2c. loss, and closed barely steady at 1¼c. to 1¼c. decline.

	To-day	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	—	—
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot	—	—

Futures—Opening options—

	May	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	59⅝	68⅜	62¼	65⅛
Prev. day	58⅝	59¾	61¼	64⅜

Futures—Closing options—

	May	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	59⅛	59	61¼	64¼
Prev. day	60	61¼	63¼	65⅝

MAIZE opened steady and generally 1c. lower, and closed barely steady at ¼c. to 1c. cheaper.

Spot No. 2 mixed Western unquoted.

Futures—Opening options—

	May	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	31¼	32¾	35	35⅛
Prev. day	31½	33¾	36	36⅛

OATS closed barely steady at an all round decline of ⅛c.

Futures—Closing options—

	May	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	22⅞	23¼	23⅝	24½
Prev. day	23¼	23⅞	23⅝	25¼

LARD closed easy at 2c. to 15c. cheaper. No. 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—

	May	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	27½	29	30	43¾
Prev. day	39¼	41⅜	42¼	—

PROVISIONS—Lard opened steady, but a lack of demand caused prices to decline. The tendency at the close was easy, with futures 5 to 17½ points down. Spot declined 7½ points. Prime Western steam spot, 3.90.

LARD—Closing options—

	May	July	Sept.	Oct.
To-day	3.90	3.97½	4.07½	4.12½
Prev. day	4.12½	4.17½	4.25	4.27½

BACON steady at 12½ points rise. Short ribs sides (60lb. average), 4.25.

HOGS steady, with light kinds unchanged to 5 points up and heavy grades 10 points down. Light-weight, 3.25 to 3.50 and heavy-weight 3.05 to 3.25.

	To-day.	Same day last year.
Receipts—Chicago	20,000	18,000
,, Western	91,000	95,000

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